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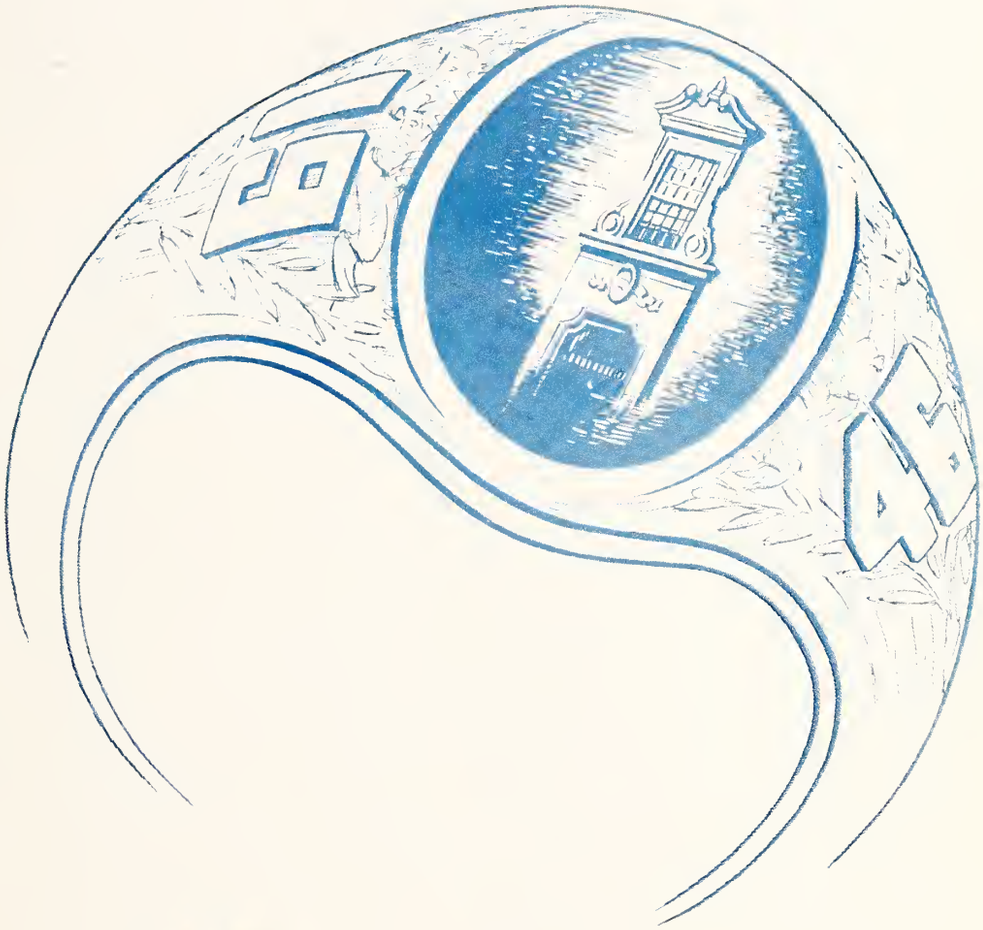


The Senior Class PRESENTS

# SNIPS and CUTS

The Nineteen Forty-six

of Central High School,

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Charlotte, North Carolina
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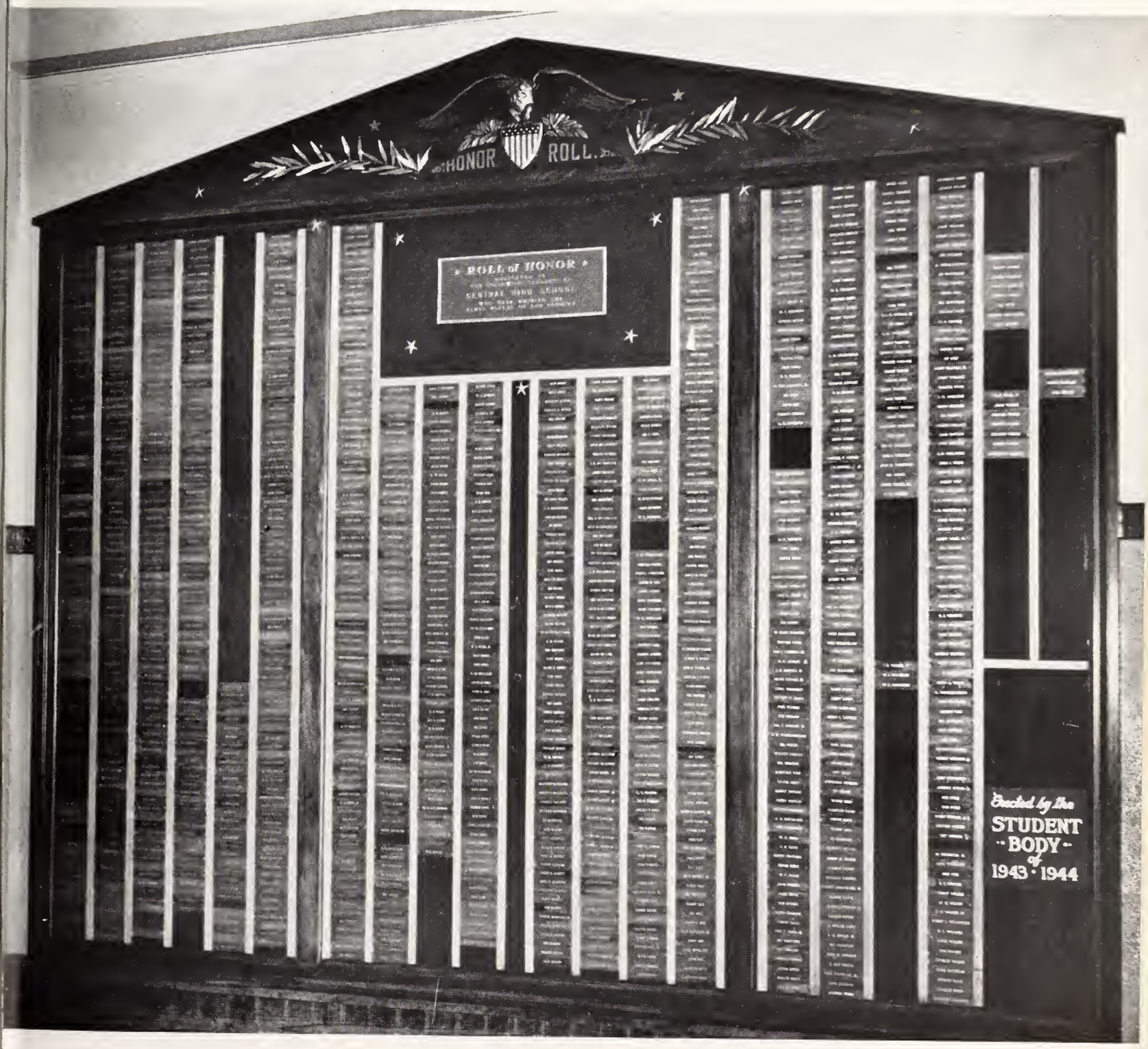
# DOWN AT CENTRAL

## FOREWORD

THE *world is at peace! We thank our Father which is in Heaven for this much asked blessing, and may the student body grasp its importance and strive to keep the love of fellowship throughout the world forever. It should be the desire of the senior class to become conscientious citizens, contributing to the welfare of man. The underclassmen should aim for even higher ideals and principles than this year's graduating class. The juniors, who will be seniors next year, should set themselves as examples for their underclassmen by leading and encouraging them in good school citizenship and future world citizenship.*

*It is the hope of the* SNIPS AND CUTS *staff that this book will help the underclassmen in planning for a better school and bring happy memories to the seniors of their good ole Central "On the Banks of Sugaw Creek."*

—EDITOR.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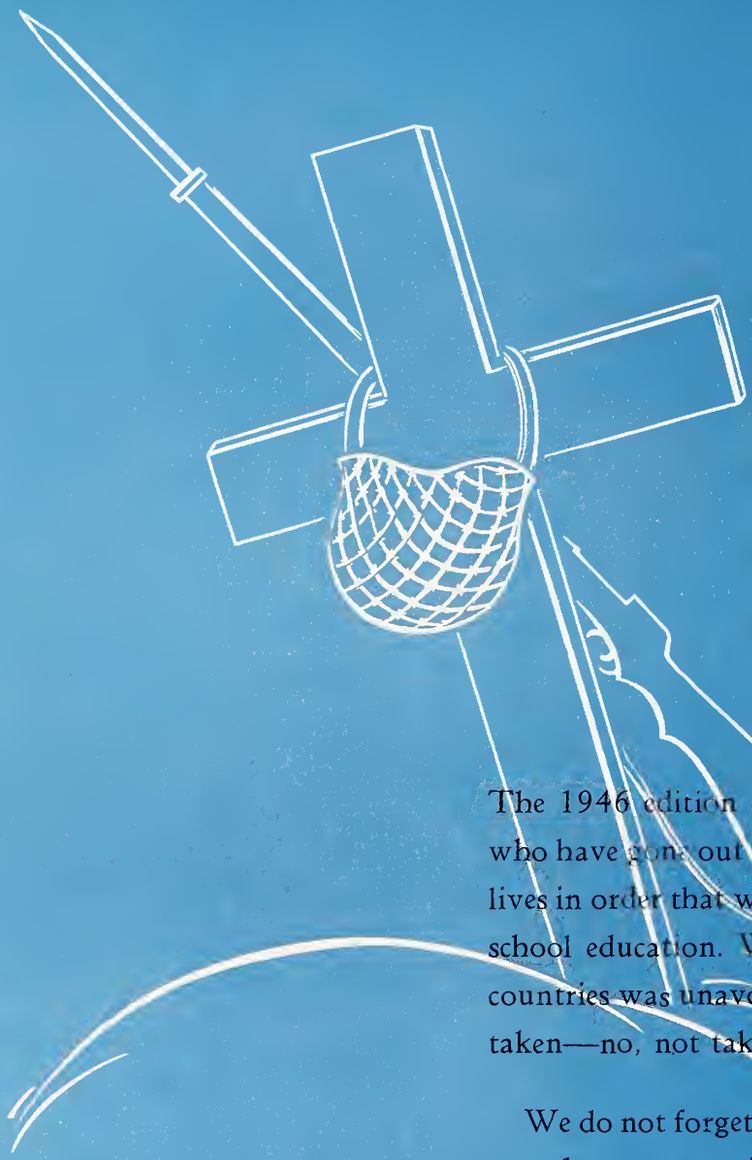

# WE DEDI

The 1946 edition of SNIPS AND CUTS to those boys who have gone out from these corridors and given their lives in order that we might have the privilege of public school education. We regret that the great conflict of countries was unavoidable, and that so many lives were taken—no, not taken, but given.

We do not forget the others who departed. We thank you for your services and rejoice in your returning. We honor and welcome you to Central and may we all stop and listen, when the halls are hushed, to the words of wisdom which those who have gone on might have for us.

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to those . . .

# ADMINISTRATION

MR. H. P. HARDING, *Superintendent*

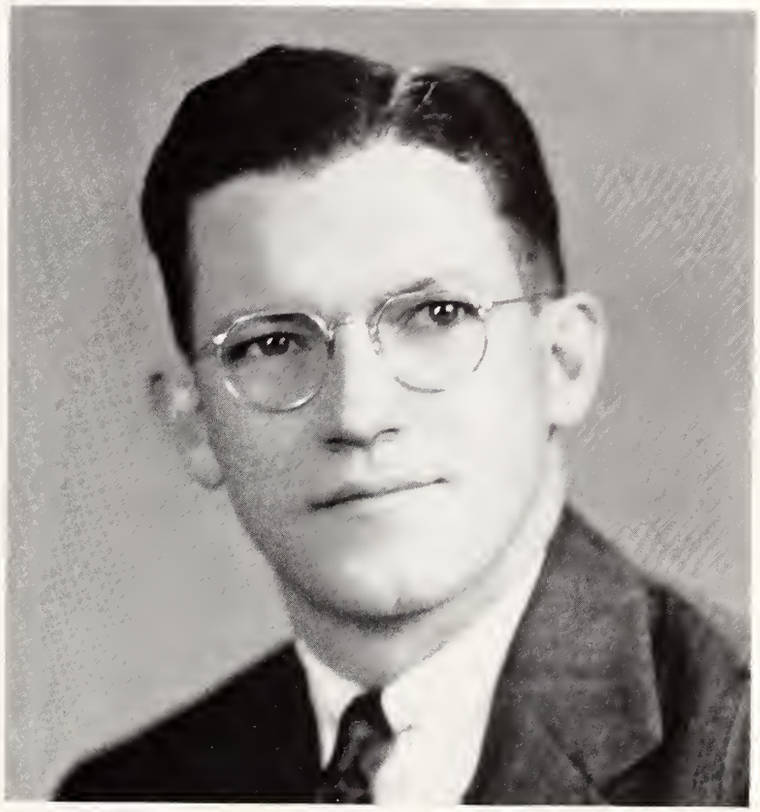
DR. E. H. GARINGER, *Associate Superintendent*

MR. HARDING has been Superintendent of the Charlotte City Schools for the past thirty-two years. He was principal of Charlotte High School, predecessor of Central, from 1904 to 1912. He is recognized as an outstanding educator and is honored for his unceasing interest in public education.

DR. GARINGER became Associate Superintendent of Charlotte City Schools last year after having been principal of Central for 22 years. He is a recognized authority in the field of education. His untiring efforts for Central will be remembered in the hearts of all students who knew him as their friend—our Doc.

Central's new principal, MR. JOHN C. OTTS, JR., has done much in the past year to enable Central to hold her own as one of the outstanding high schools in the country. He has gained the respect of the students, and he will be remembered as a splendid leader and a sincere friend.

Mr. Otts received his A.B. degree upon graduating from Wofford in 1930. In 1931 he finished a graduate course at Vanderbilt with an M.A. in English. He taught English in Spartanburg High School from 1931 until 1939. From 1939 to 1945 he was principal of Jenkins Junior High School. Mr. Otts received his M.A. in school administration at Columbia University in 1941.



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Study . . . Now and Then"
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WHITE, BURNEY, CROMER, WHISNANT

# SENIOR CLASS

## OFFICERS

*First Semester*

BOB MORROW ..... *President*
NED BURGESS ..... *Vice-President*
DON AHERN ..... *Secretary*
GEORGE GRIFFIN ..... *Treasurer*

*Second Semester*

JACK BURNEY ..... *President*
MACK WHITE ..... *Vice-President*
BETSY CROMER ..... *Secretary*
MARSHALL WHISNANT ..... *Treasurer*

Class Advisers—Mrs. Frances Whitaker and Miss Margaret DeVinny.

Mascots—Chris Phillips and Patsy Harrington.

The Class of '46 entered Central High School in the fall of 1943, a group of boys and girls from many different schools. All joined together and entered into all school activities, such as football games, basketball games, the sale of bonds and stamps, and all other drives and campaigns. The adviser was Mr. Otto Dahlem.

In the junior year a class party was held at the Service Men's Club. For the first time in many years the Junior Class alone sponsored the Junior-Senior Dance. Decorating the gym for this dance gave David Ivey, Mary Jane Hurt, and their committee the experience for decorating for the Commencement exercises. The Junior Marshals ushered at Commencement and at many other programs held during the year. The class took an active part in all school activities and collected junior class dues 100%. Mrs. Frances Whitaker acted as adviser during the junior year.

In the senior year Mrs. Frances Whitaker and Miss Margaret DeVinny were advisers. On April 4th, the Senior Open House was held at the Service Men's Club. Adelaide Foil and Bill Fowler were in charge of the entertainment. Commencement exercises could not be held in the stadium as it was being repaired, but were held in the Armory Auditorium.

# SENIOR CLASS DAY OFFICERS

*Prophet*
PAUL RITCH

*Artist*
ROBERT BROWN

*Song Writer*
JACK BURNEY

*Lawyer*
DAVID IVEY

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DORIS LAWING

*Poet*
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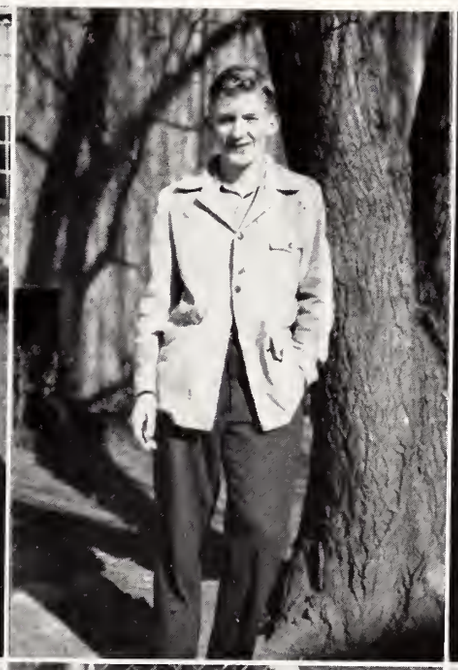

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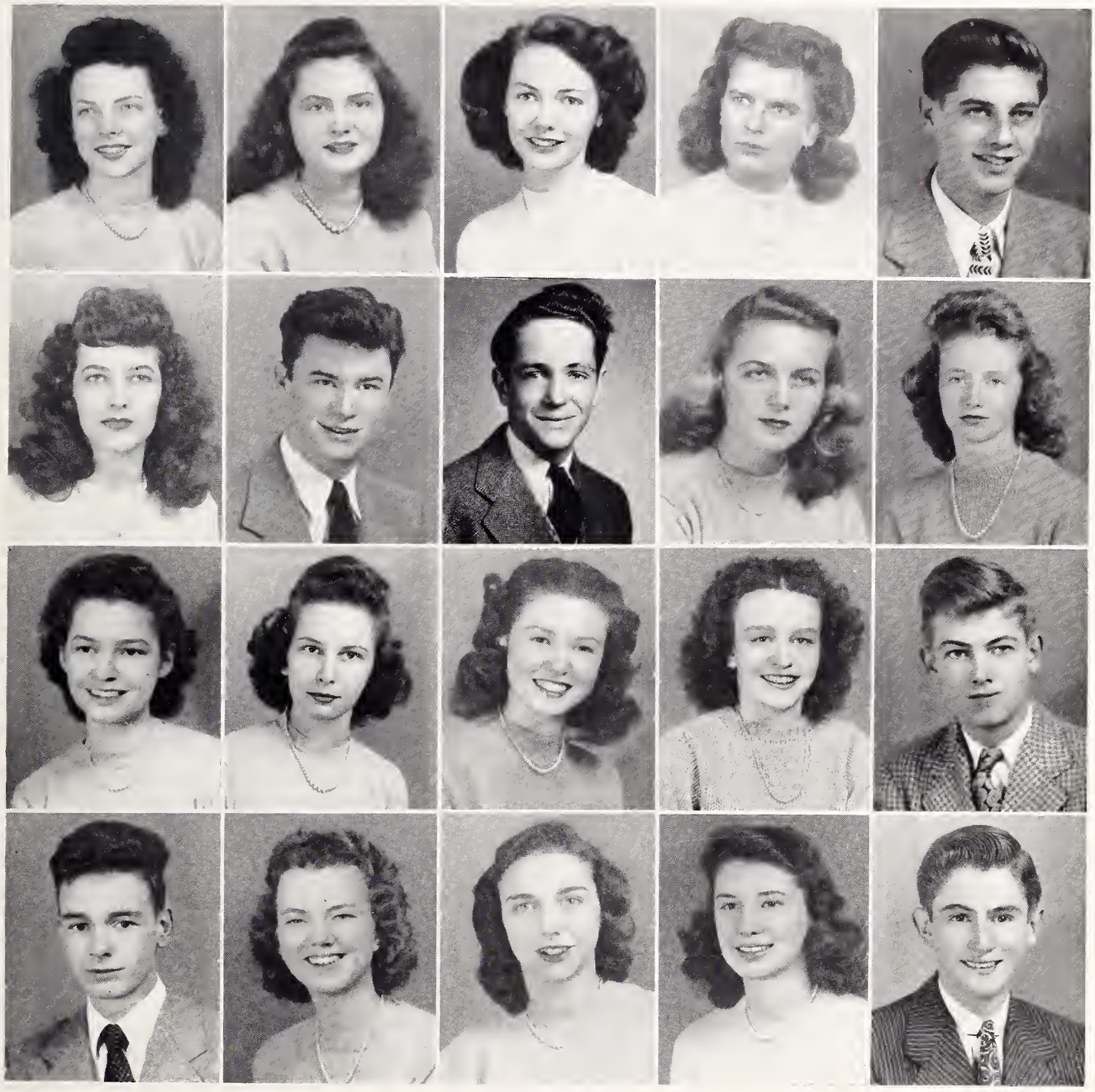

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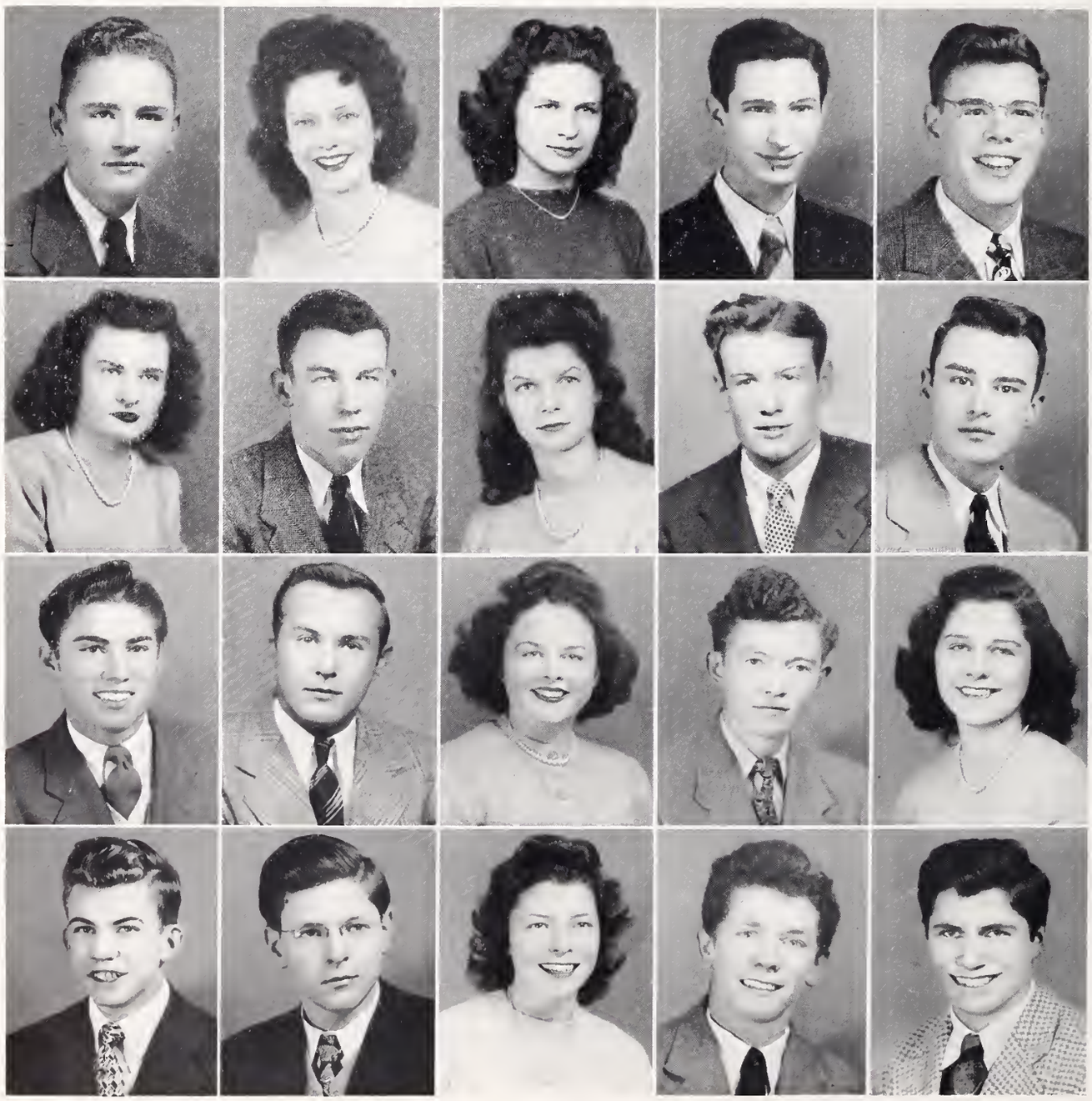

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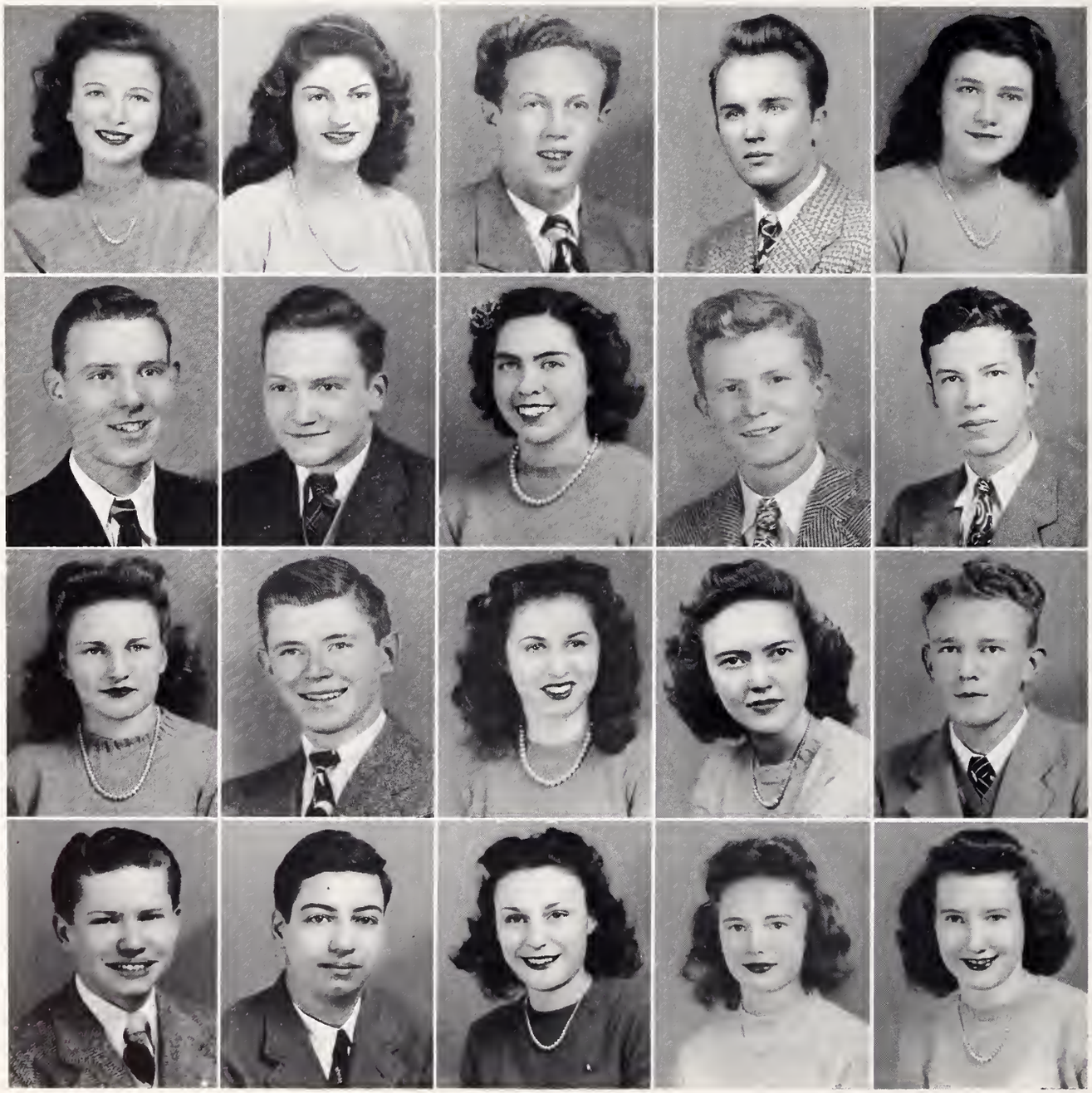

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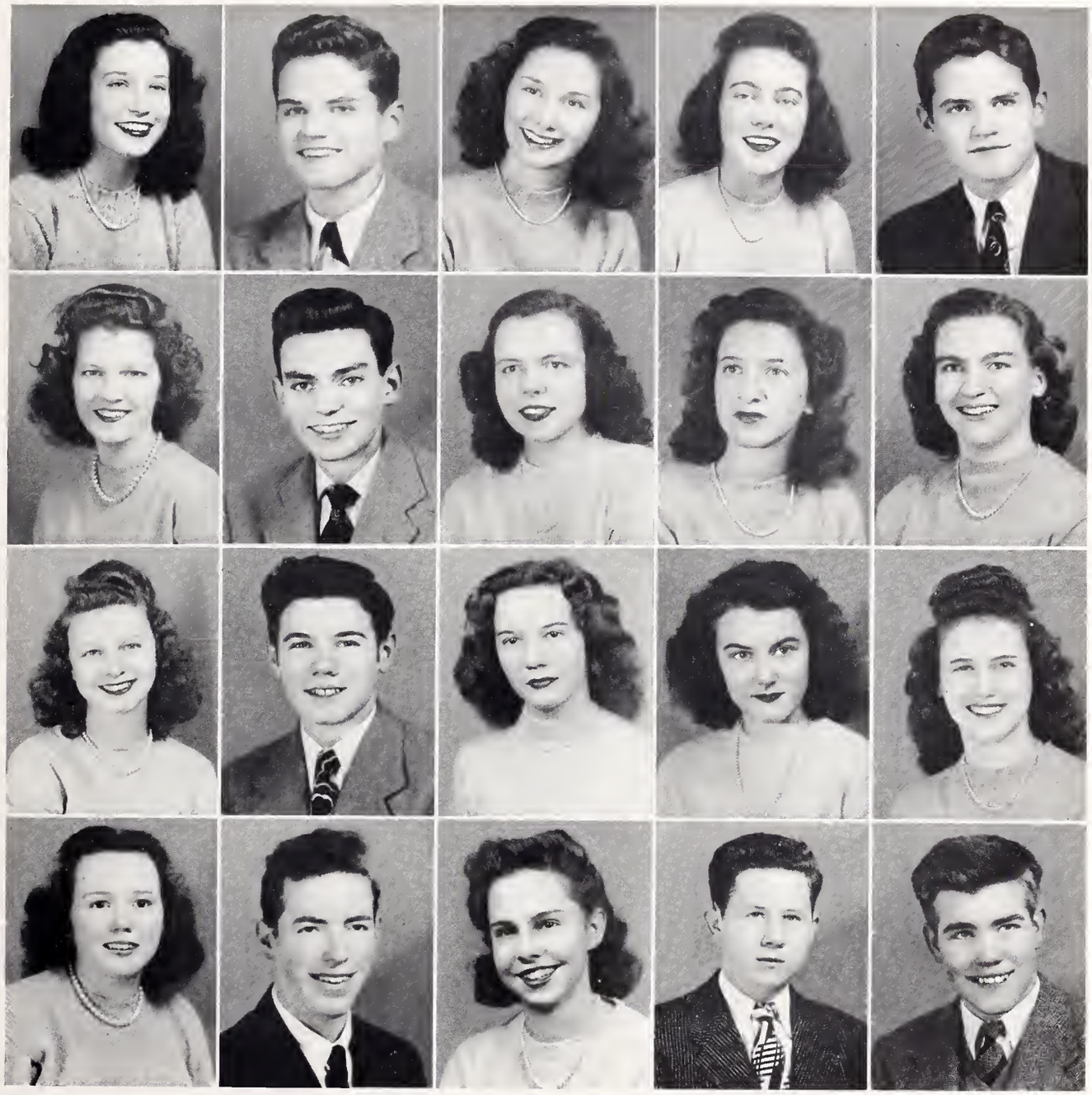

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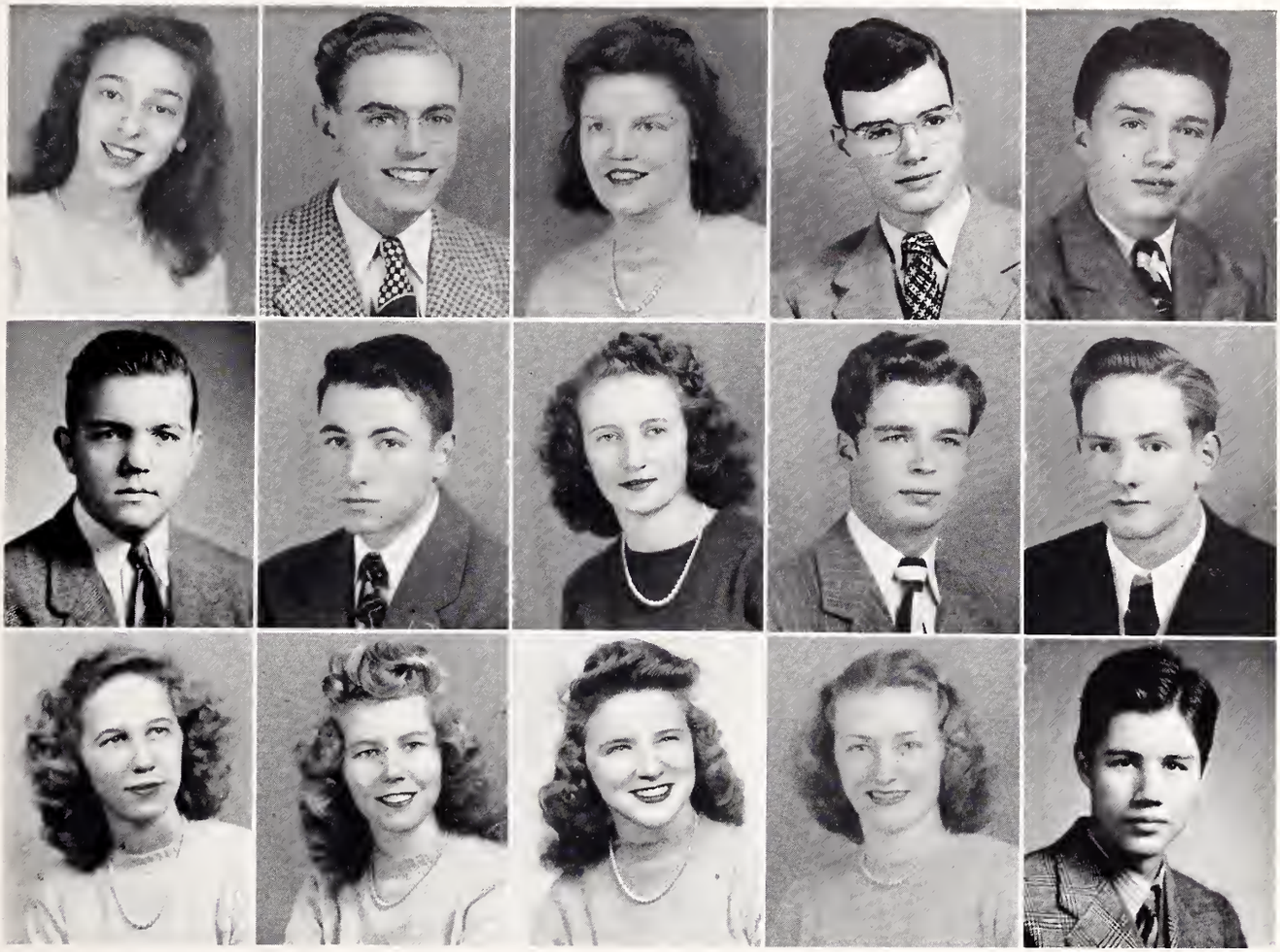

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JAMES CLYDE WHITE

*Second row:*

JAMES GRAHAM WHITE, JR.
MACK WILLIS WHITE, JR.
SARAH RUTH WHITESIDES
JOHN THOMAS WILLIAMS
CARL ROST WILLIAMSON

*Third row:*

MILDRED ANN WILSON
JEAN ELIZABETH WINGATE
ANNA HERMINE WOLF
GRETCHEN RUTH WYATT
DAVID OWEN YANDLE

*Best Citizen*
ANNA WOLFE
LANE CLOANINGER

*Most Likely to Succeed*
GRACE MARIE CHILDS
ORION HUTCHINSON

*Most Athletic*
MICKEY BRADLEY
BOB CHAPMAN

# Senior Class

*Best Dancer*
PAT SPROLES
TEDDY NEWTON

*Best Student*
CHARLOTTE VAN BUREN
JACK KILLHEFFER

*Best Looking*
JOANNE SHOEMAKER
BILL HARDING

*Best All Round*
WYNDALL MASON
DAVID IVEY

*Most Sincere Girl*
DORIS LAWING

*Biggest Bull Shooter*
JOHN THROWER

*Most Popular* BARBARA FEHR
BOB MORROW

# Superlatives

*Most Energetic Girl*
JANET CUSHMAN

*Most Retiring Boy*
BOBBY FINK

*Biggest Heart Breaker* MARILYN BIGGERS
BILL FOWLER

*Friendliest*
JULIA MCHENRY
JACK BURNEY

*Most Original Girl*
BETSY CROMER

*Most Mischievous Boy*
FRANK MCLEESE

# HISTORY OF SENIOR CLASS

The time is September, 1943; the place, Central High School; the occasion, the opening of school. Five hundred sophomores are scrambling in the front door of the large, grey building looking starry eyed at passing juniors and seniors and wondering how long it will take them to attain such an honored and respected position. Pat Stephens, the president of the Student Council, greets us with an assembly program based on "School Spirit," and it doesn't take us long to catch on; Jane Scarborough announces a paper drive in which we are thrilled to ride in one of those snappy Army jeeps.

We immediately start out by electing our first semester sophomore officers, who are Jake Wade, president; David Ivey, vice-president; "Lib" Usher, secretary; Bob Chapman, treasurer. For our second semester officers we select: "Bunnie" Baker, president; Bob Chapman, vice-president; "Bo" Roddey, secretary; "Toogie" McNeil, treasurer.

In the sports world Coach Vincent Bradford is named as one of the North Carolina coaches for the annual Shrine Game, while Walter Betenbaugh and "Buck" McGraw are named to play on the team. At thrilling games played here and out-of-town, the Central "Wildcats" defeat Winston-Salem, Greensboro, High Point, Gastonia, and Salisbury, thus winning the Western Conference. Then the "Wildcats" defeat Raleigh and win the State Championship. This is really the year for championships, because our track team wins one and our diminutive "Bo" Roddey wins the State Singles Tennis Championship.

The Music Department is beginning to work on an operetta entitled "Hats Off". Bill Stapleton and Jean Cushman play the romantic leads in this operetta.

After an eventful summer at the beach or wherever we land, we are ready to start back to the grind. Election of junior class officers is the first item on our agenda. They are Bill Fowler, president; Bob Foster, vice-president; Betsy Roberts, secretary; Mary Jane Hurt, treasurer. Second semester officers consist of Benner Crigler, president; Ann Sisson, vice-president; Doris Lawing, secretary; Bob Chapman, treasurer.

Our Junior Marshals are elected with Bill Fowler as chief, Benner Crigler as assistant and Ann Sisson as chief of the girls. The marshals are put to work ushering for the colorful operetta, "The Forest Prince." In this operetta the leads are taken by Tommy Lawing, Barbara Lineberger, David Littlejohn, and Jewell Spain.

A Keen Teen Club is organized at the Y. W. C. A. We can go there and swim, dance, and meet our friends. This club is sponsored by the Girl Reserves.

Central High School celebrates her twenty-first birthday with a party at the Armory Auditorium. Speakers are alumni of Central.

In the Sport's Department we find that Coach Bradford has handed his position over to Mr. W. D. Brannin. Coach Brannin gives us a successful season. Our football team really has what it takes to carry that "pigskin."

A very humorous play is presented by the Dramatics Department. The title of the play is "The Royal Family." Paul Ritch and Bette Cansler take the leads and amaze us at the wonderful talent we have at Central.

The Central Little Symphony travels to the Laurinburg Army Air Base and performs for the soldiers there.

The Student Council elects new officers for the first semester of the new year to come. They are Orion Hutchinson, president; Bob Foster, vice-president; Nelson Adams, secretary; Bill Massey, treasurer.

At last we come to that year-of-years, the year when we feel honored and respected. We say adieu to our beloved principal, Dr. Elmer H. Garringer, and take into our hearts Mr. John C. Otts, in whom we hold much faith.

We start this year with the election of King and Queen of Central High by subscribing to the *Rambler*. The election results in the choice of none other than beautiful Barbara Fehr and athletic Bob Chapman.

We have a new addition to the Athletic Department, Mr. Carroll Hambright, a '42 grad of Clemson. He is to serve as line coach under Coach "Bill" Brannin. Coach Brannin acts as head of the North Carolina coaches for the All-Star Shrine Team and "Buddy" Bell and "Goat" Davis are selected to play on the N. C. Team. Central's basketball team has a very exciting season on the court, defeats Harding at a fast-moving, rough and tumble game in the Armory Auditorium, and wins the title of city champs.

We decide that it is time to choose new class officers. Those chosen are: Bob Morrow, president; Ned Burgess, vice-president; Donald Ahern, secretary; George Griffin, treasurer. The new officers for the second semester are: Jack Burney, president; Mack White, vice-president; Betsy Cromer, secretary; Marshall Whisnant, treasurer.

Bill Massey, treasurer of the Student Council, puts on a "Play Nite" in our gymnasium. Even though a small admission is charged, we enjoy the square dancing, with a professional "caller" and appropriate music and the specially prepared floor show.

The Daughters of the American Revolution think that the time has come to add another name to their long list. Doris Jean Lawing is selected for the honor of Best Girl Citizen.

In the month of December 1945, several of our small nieces, nephews, brothers, sisters, and small friends walk across the stage in a program for us to decide our Senior Mascots. The results are that Chris Phillips and Patsy Harrington will grace our stage on Commencement Day.

The Student Council, after the exciting Christmas holidays, elects new officers to serve during the second semester. The results are: David Ivey, president; Doris Lawing, vice-president; Joe Bookout, secretary; "Buddy" Bell, treasurer.

At an election sponsored by "Buddy" Bell and the Ways and Means Committee of the second semester, the King and Queen of Hearts are elected. They are Clara Barnes and Lane Cloaninger.

The closing hours of school are drawing near. Many of us have experienced much—friendships, happy times and sorrows, but the most important is education. That is the thing we come to school to find. There are a number of students in our graduating class who have found this education. They prove it by being on the "A" honor roll. These are Margaret Bailey, Janet Cushman, Jack Killheffer, Sue McSpadden, Herbert Schwartz, Charlotte Van Buren, and Anna Wolf. Hats off to you!

We, in the future, will probably forget much that we have learned at school, but the happy memories and close friendships will linger in our hearts through eternity.

DORIS LAWING, *Class Historian.*

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# CENTRAL

Our personal squabbles, our athletic feuds,
The loss of a game, those blue Monday moods.
The days we had tests, the nights that we'd cram,
The note-books, the themes, the semester exam.
The program that failed, the partial, old refs
Those rainy-day tardies, those terrible F's,
From our minds we now gladly erase.

The athletic victories, war at an end,
Assignments accomplished, the smile of a friend,
The election to office, the glad sunny days,
The rewards and the honors, the kind words of praise,
Our glorious music, our great publications,
Our dates, our clubs, and our summer vacations,
Our tolerant teachers, hard work and fair play,
Dear old Central of Charlotte, the Blue and the Gray,
In our memories we'll ever embrace.

JOHN THROWER, *Poet.*

# SENIOR CLASS SONG

Come on and fight, old Central, fight,
Come on and fight for all that's right,
We are out to fight and win,
That's the way it's always been.
Rally all your might—
It's time to let that spirit grow,
It's time to give the foe a show,
We have just begun to pull together
Now, let's show them how we can go.

# LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the graduating class of '46, with our achievements, honors, and permanent records left behind us, leave for the rising Seniors a great and glorious road for them to follow. Realizing that they can never quite replace their immediate predecessors, we feel obligated to leave to them, some of our individual characteristics, possessions, and abilities in order that they may justly carry the honored title, "A Central Senior."

Being of sound mind and body, we do solemnly proclaim this to be our Last Will and Testament.

ARTICLE I: TO THE FACULTY

Item 1—To Mr. Otts, we leave our sincere appreciation for the help and guidance he has given us this year. May he have many more successful years at Central.

Item 2—To Miss Bertha, we leave our thanks that we are still here at the end of school. We leave her our lunch permits, teacher's passes, police badges, and worlds of best wishes for the future.

Item 3—To Coach Bill "Kingfish" Brannin, we leave our high hopes for a successful year in '46 and '47 with many new gymnasiums, tennis courts, dressing rooms, and playgrounds for his "Central of Tomorrow."

Item 4—To Mrs. Agnew, we leave our deepest gratitude for her understanding help and advisership of the Student Assembly.

Item 5—To Miss Eleanor Markham, we do bequeath our theorems and slide-rules and hope that rolled-up cuffs and patch-pockets will not cause too much trouble in the future.

Item 6—To Mrs. Frances Whitaker and Miss DeVinny, we leave our thanks for their untiring efforts as advisers for the Senior Class.

Item 7—To Miss Fraser and Miss Parks, we leave our regrets for causing them so much trouble by thinking up such "bum" excuses.

Item 8—To Mr. Tinkham, we, his intellectual society of "hoodlums," leave; and hope that next year he will have a class of sweet, little, obedient children.

ARTICLE II: TO THE JUNIOR CLASS

Item 1—To you, the rising Seniors, we leave a great school spirit, in hopes that it will continue and widen through the coming years.

Item 2—We entrust, also, the opportunity to make Central a better place for students and faculty alike in these coming years of peace.

Item 3—We now leave for you one of our most cherished possessions: that being the well used chewing gum under the desks. We hope that it will be more plentiful in the future.

Item 4—Lastly, we relinquish the greatest of all—the privileges of a Central student: our school dances, plays, assemblies, football and basketball games, track meets, and picture shows—all of which go to make up "Life at Central."

ARTICLE III: TO VARIOUS INDIVIDUALS

Item 1—I, Raymond Damron, leave my schedules and time-tables to anyone else who has enough patience to figure them out.

Item 2—I, Bob Morrow, leave my winning ways to Buck Blankenship. (He hasn't lost a nickel this year.)

Item 3—I, Orion Hutchinson, will my leadership and oratorical ability to Nelson Adams.

Item 4—I, Molly Francis, leave my arm-twisting ways to Shirley Wafford, who does pretty well already.

Item 5—I, Grady McAuley, bequeath my comb and well-groomed hair to Don Elmore, who has already gotten off to a good start.

Item 6—I, Fred Motley, leave————!

Item 7—I, Grace Childs, leave my personality plus to Peggy Hull.

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Item 8—I, Bob Foster, will my friendliness and smile to Buddy Harris, who, incidently, has a "Peggy" also.

Item 9—I, George "Firechief" Morgan, leave my ability to ring the fire drill bell to anyone who gets as much of a charge out of it as I do.

Item 10—I, Barbara Fehr, pass on my sincerity and popularity to Hotsy Newman.

Item 11—I, Kat Roberts, leave my gift of voice to Joan Flath.

Item 12—I, Jack "88 Keys" Burney, bequeath my ways on the piano to Jo Elaine Webb.

Item 13—I, Marshall Whisnant, leave my extensive vocabulary and round boxes of square cereal to David Hays.

Item 14—I, Joanne Shoemaker, pass on my good-looks and dignified disposition to Sally Carson.

Item 15—I, Donald Ahern, leave, and take Wyndall with me.

Item 16—I, Buddy Bell, bequeath my gridiron success to Leland Helms; he's got what it takes.

Item 17—I, Charlotte Van Buren, leave my long list of A's to Libby Propst.

Item 18—I, Owl Guin, place my oil-burning, four wheel refrigerator on sale.

Item 19—I, Chuck Kirby, leave my ability to stick my neck out to anyone who is a big enough sucker to take it.

Item 20—I, Bill Massey, having nothing else, leave my loud voice echoing through the halls.

Item 21—I, Sue McSpadden, leave my confused bookkeeping for the annual to anyone who can straighten it out.

Item 22—I, Jimmy Purser, bequeath my intellect so great to Bob Wylie who can certainly use it.

Item 23—I, Bill Fowler, will my "ways with the women" to Spike Cofer.

Item 24—I, Betsy Cromer, leave my ways so wacky to Mary Street.

Item 25—I, Margaret Bailey, leave my knitting needles and yarn to Marilyn Mills, another red-head.

Item 26—I, Bobby Fink, leave my bars and bells (not belles) to Richard Saunders, may he soon press 200 pounds.

Item 27—I, Mary Jo Archer, pass on my ways, so sharp and winning, to Snookie Driggers.

Item 28—I, Teddy Newton, leave my clothes of the "zoot" to Hilliard Knight. He's "reet!"

Item 29—I, Mack White, will my quiet and pensive ways to Hubert Moseley.

Item 30—In conclusion, we, the graduating class of '46, leave a great school; but, with us, we carry those cherished memories of our good times at Central.

CLASS OF '46
DR. DAVID IVEY,
*At-odds-with-law.*
*Class Lawyer.*

Signed, sealed, and published in the presence of:

GRACE MARIE CHILDS
MARSHALL WHISNANT

# SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

It was the year 1956, and I was once more wandering through the halls of C. H. S. The faces were all new to me, and I seemed very much a stranger until I heard a voice ring out, "Where do you think you're going?" I turned to see who it was and found myself once again face to face with that guardian of the halls, our friend and counsellor, Miss Bertha Donnelly! I told her that I had returned to see how the old school was getting along and asked her if she had heard anything from the old gang, the class of '46. She smiled and replied, "Yes, and they are getting into just as much mischief as ever!" We strolled down the hall and sat down on the bench across from the office; and, as many happy memories drifted through my mind, she told me all she had heard of the class of '46. I gathered the following from what she related to me:

Mrs. Donald Ahern, the former Miss Wyndall Mason, is the new girls' athletic director at the University of Southern California. Her husband is head football coach there.

Tommy Waggoner was recently elected president of the National Farm Association. Besides being a well-known farmer, Tommy is known for his developments of fertilizer.

Joan Weinman, the famous Powers model, is spending her vacation at her summer home in Florida. This is only one of her several homes throughout the nation.

George Morgan, chief of the FBI, has announced that he has finally solved the famous mystery of "Who Threw the Whiskey In the Well?" The culprit was none other than the eminent prohibitionist, "Fig" Newton.

Miss Lib Hutchison has replaced Fanny Brice on the "Baby Snooks" program.

It is rumored that Beverly Cole, voted "Miss Sophistication of 1951," has married a Hindu. Her only complaint seems to be his bed of nails.

Speaking of marriages, Mary Davis will be betrothed to the Reverend Grover Martin when he returns from a missionary trip to Inner Mongolia.

Lib Sellers and Anne Sisson are running a Lonely Hearts club.

Those champions of young people's rights, Betsy Cromer and Anna Wolfe, have opened a night club in New York known as the Club Under 21.

The club is featuring Bill Hodges' famous orchestra with Jack Burney at the piano and Gloria Alderman singing. Yes, she's still singing "Come to Baby Do."

# SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

Donald Cobb and Herbert Schwartz, famous *Esquire* artists, have a new model who is none other than Central's own Dolly Blake.

Postmaster General Jimmy White has stated that *Esquire* will be permitted to go through the mails free.

Dick Dooley is running a rocket express to the moon, Mars, Jupiter, and Venus.

Barbara Fehr is still as lovely as ever.

Harry Haar is starring in the Monte Carlo Ballet.

The Robert Brown Construction Co. has recently completed the new building for C. H. S. The old building has been converted into an institution for juvenile delinquents!

George Griffin may be seen on outdoor posters advertising Pepsodent's "Smile of Beauty".

Bob Tarrant and Vic Riggsbee are Fuller brush salesmen.

Bill Harding and Mary K. Roberts are raising a large family.

Eleanor Marshall is playing first violin with the Boston Symphony.

Jerry Green is burning up the links everywhere. He is known as the modern Byron Nelson.

Kathryn Havnaer owns an exclusive women's shop on Fifth Avenue. The shop features clothes designed by Jean Braswell. The latest style is Jean's Jaunty Jerkingsuits.

"Goat" Davis's book, "Eight Ball in the Side Pocket," is fast becoming a best seller.

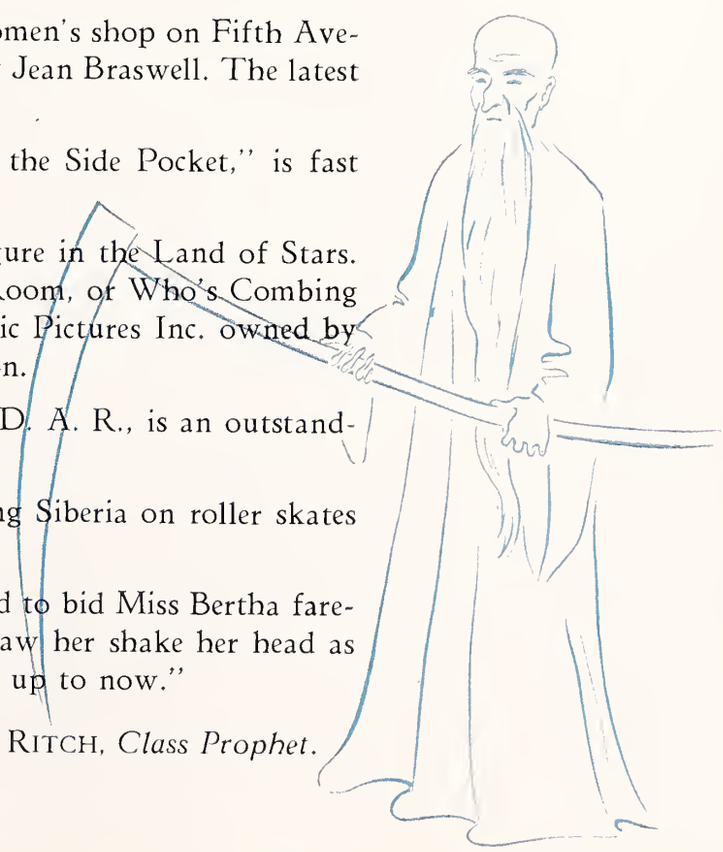
Joanne Shoemaker is a well known figure in the Land of Stars. Her latest picture is "Life in the Locker Room, or Who's Combing My Hair." It was released through Atomic Pictures Inc. owned by Marshall Whisnant and Raymond Damron.

Doris Jean Lawing, past regent of the D. A. R., is an outstanding social worker in North Carolina.

Clara Barnes and Sue Sellers are touring Siberia on roller skates for their health.

The time flew by, and I was soon forced to bid Miss Bertha farewell. But as I hurried down the steps I saw her shake her head as she mumbled softly, "I wonder what he's up to now."

PAUL L. RITCH, *Class Prophet.*



# SUMMER SCHOOL

*First row:*

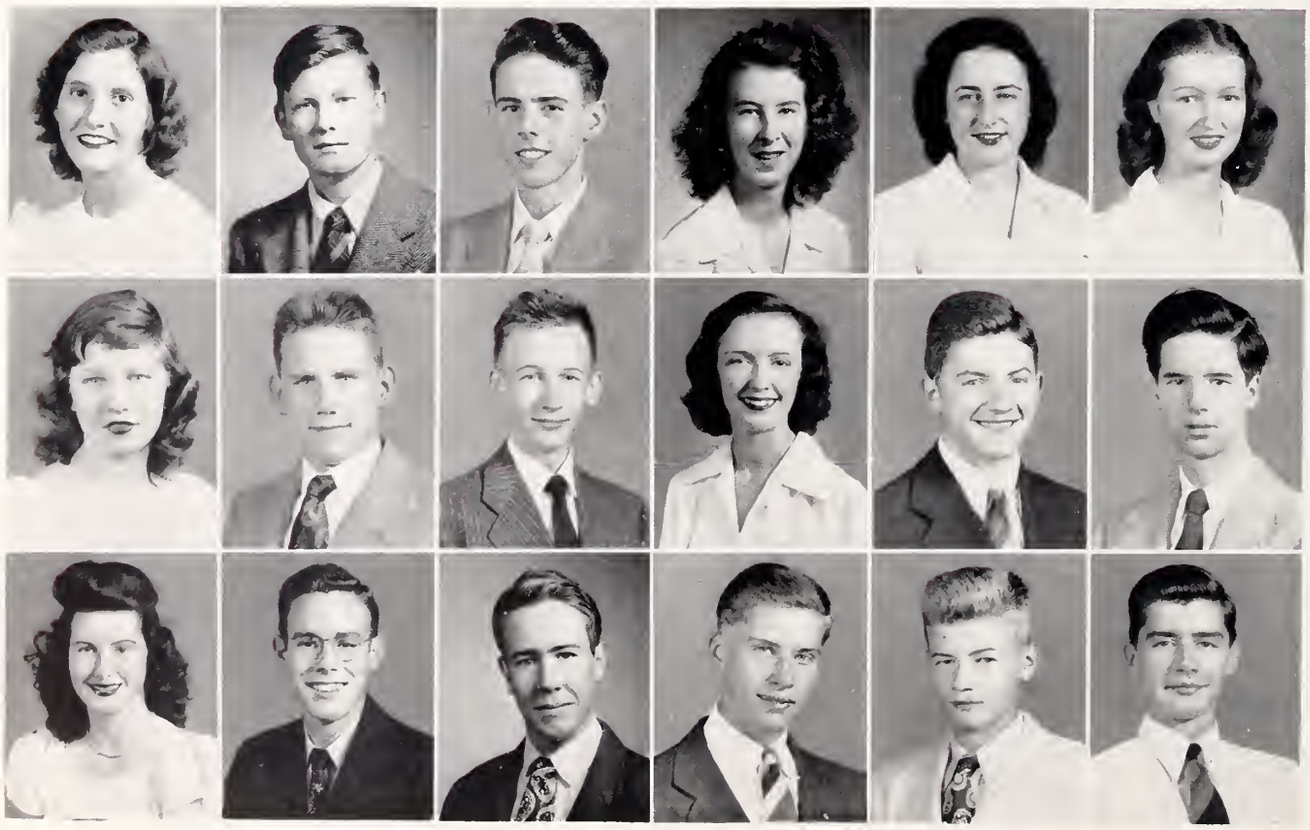
Billie Rita Adams
William R. Adkins, Jr.
Harold Dowe Albright, Jr.
Doris Veneta Bell
Ann Blum
Mary Louise Bostian

*Second row:*

Jewel Meares Buie
Lee Burch, Jr.
Harold Edward Coffin, Jr.
Claire Julia Craig
Benner Bittinger Crigler
Richard Edward Dailey

*Third row:*

Mary Jane Fetner
Joe W. Frazer, Jr.
Richard Franklin Gibbs
Bobby Carpenter Hanes
Floyd I. Harper, Jr.
Allen Henley, Jr.



*First row:*

Douglas Frederick Hogewood
John B. Irwin
Samuel Hutchinson Kirkpatrick, Jr.
Thomas Allen Little, Jr.
Harry McAfee, Jr.
Louis Wood Otterbourg

*Second row:*

John Neel Miller
Alva Edward Parris
John Wesley Pruitt
Zelda Barbara Schuster
Francis Phillip Scruggs
Mazie Elizabeth Sergeant

*Third row:*

Georgelle Thomas
Bettejane Walton
Doris Pauline Wayland
Marian Louise Wise
William Malcolm Yoder

# NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE

TIDDY, SISSON, HOLDER, JONES

TIDDY, CHRISTOPHER, HELMS

# JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

*First Semester*

| | |
|---|---|
| NANCY HOLDER | *President* |
| DICK TIDDY | *Vice-President* |
| ALICE SISSON | *Secretary* |
| JOHNNY JONES | *Treasurer* |

*Second Semester*

| | |
|---|---|
| NELSON ADAMS | *President* |
| LELAND HELMS | *Vice-President* |
| MARION CHRISTOPHER | *Secretary* |
| DICK TIDDY | *Treasurer* |
| MISS VIRGINIA ALLEN | *Class Adviser* |

The fall of 1945 brought one consolation: we were no longer Sophomores! As eager Juniors we "felt our oats". In October we went enthusiastically to the polls and elected Nancy Holder, president; Dick Tiddy, vice-president; Alice Sisson, secretary; Johnny Jones, treasurer; and Miss Virginia Allen, class adviser.

The crisp autumn days meant FOOTBALL, and all the Juniors weren't on the sidelines; some very important members of our class were carrying the pigskin—Pete DeWitt, Donald Elmore, Wade Fox, Leland Helms, Hillard Knight, Dick Tiddy, and Bob Wiley helped the Wildcats to many a touchdown.

We have brains as well as brawn, for at the end of the first semester there were six all "A" students among our ranks: Doris Anne Bradley, Joan Cansler, Claire McCall, Libby Propst, Eleanor Robinson, and Sidney Wanzer.

After frantically cramming for exams we were ready for some fun. When the clock struck 8 on February 7, 1946, most Juniors were at the Armory Recreation Center for a bang-up Valentine party, arranged by the first semester officers and their faithful committees. We played pool and bridge, danced and watched a clever floor show featuring Carolyn Forte and Barbara McAllister. But the climax of the evening came about 9 o'clock as the punch, doughnuts, and popcorn appeared, and as quickly disappeared.

The officers for the second semester were elected early in February: Nelson Adams, president; Leland Helms, vice-president; Marion Christopher, secretary; and Dick Tiddy, treasurer.

As a fitting close to a grand year we showed the dignified seniors a good time at a lovely Junior-Senior prom, held in the Central gym in May.

# JUNIOR MARSHALS

## GIRLS

Sally Carson, *Chief*
Louise Agnew
Deanie Berryhill
Dessie Broadwell
Joan Cansler
Nancy Cheatham
Betty Choate
Marion Christopher
Ann Flintom
Carolyn Forte
Ren Frew
Ruth Griffin
Lucy Dunn Guion
Pat Hicks
Emma Lee Hough
Dorothy Martin
Claire McCall
Ruth Myers Nance
Libby Propst
Amelia Ann Hunter

## BOYS

Nelson Adams, *Chief*
Bill Barnhardt
Stowe Blankenship
Sidney Wanzer
Bobby Kirby
Miles Boyer
Frank Murphy
Jack Isenhour
Blaine Kelley
Victor Goeller
Dick Hinson
Bobby Boyce
Fred Glover
Charles Pressley
Bob Sims
Jimmy Bolton
Kinkaid Wilson
Harry Spillman
Ralph Johnson
David Hays
Mac McAuley

*First Row*: Flintom, Propst, Hough, Cansler, Nance, Adams, Chief Marshal; Carson, Chief Marshal; Forte, Broadwell, Hicks, Frew. *Second Row*: Hunter, Cheatham, McCall, Christopher, Martin, Agnew, Guion, Berryhill, Griffin. *Third Row*: Murphy, Johnson, McAuley, Spillman, Glover, Hinson, Boyce, Kirby, Bolton, Boyer. *Fourth Row*: Hays, Pressley, Wilson, Wanzer, Kelley, Sims, Goeller, Barnhardt, Blankenship, Isenhour.

*First Row*: McGinn, Cansler, Hartnett, Gaddy, Carroll, Brown, Forte, Davis. *Second Row*: Cavalaris, Schiff, Guion, Hollenbeck, Barnhardt, Hall, Carter, Grier. *Third Row*: Deming, German, Gettinger, Street, Allen, Woodard, Moore, Anderson, Stroupe. *Fourth Row*: Burkhalter, Rhyne, Wright, Daly, Hayes, Glover, Maner, Nicholson, Boyst, Horton.

*First Row*: Putnam, Byrnes, Little, Williams, Blair, Hatch, M. Faucette, Jarrell. *Second Row*: Hall, Crawford, Hicks, Burde, C. Faucette, Brown, House, Hannon, Cullingford. *Third row:* Kelley, Boyer, Sides, Seabrook, Hunter, Duls, Wanzer, Reitan. *Fourth row:* Keever, T. Faucette, Boyce.

Martha Ellen Allen
Janet Anderson
Jackie Barnhardt
Bill Boyst
Peggy Brown
Philip Burkhalter
Joan Cansler
Shirley Carroll
Betty Carter
Emily Cavalaris
Bill Chapman
Ted Daly
Shirley Davis
Barbara Deming
Carolyn Forte
Susie Gaddy
Mary German
Georgianne Gettinger
Fred Glover
Betty Grier
Lucy Dunn Guion
Elaine Hall
Dot Hollenbeck
La Vera Hartnett
David Hays
Mildred Herring
Walter Horton
Bobby Maner
Sara McGinn
Thelma Moore
William Nicholson
Bobby Rhyne
Catherine Schiff
Mary Street
Carolyn Stroupe
Becky Woodard
Bobby Wright

### Mrs. Agnew's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

CAROLYN FORTE ..... *President*
LUCY DUNN GUION ..... *Vice-President*
PHILIP BURKHALTER ..... *Secretary*
FRED GLOVER ..... *Treasurer*
CATHERINE SCHIFF ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

JOAN CANSLER ..... *President*
BOBBY WRIGHT ..... *Vice-President*
GEORGIANNE GETTINGER ..... *Secretary*
BILL CHAPMAN ..... *Treasurer*
JOAN CANSLER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Miss Akers' Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

AMELIA ANN HUNTER ..... *President*
BLAINE KELLEY ..... *Vice-President*
CAROLYN HALL ..... *Secretary*
BETTYE BLAIR ..... *Treasurer*
SARA C. LITTLE ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

BLAINE KELLEY ..... *President*
CHARLIE DULS ..... *Vice-President*
SARA C. LITTLE ..... *Secretary*
SIDNEY WANZER ..... *Treasurer*
ANNABELLE JARRELL ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Alva Alexander
Bettye Blair
Bobby Boyce
Miles Boyer
Dorothy Brown
Margaret Burke
Betty Byrnes
Jane Crawford
Betty Cullingford
Charlie Duls
Carolyn Faucette
Marie Faucette
Tommy Faucette
Ann Flintom
Frances Garrison
Carolyn Hall
Beverly Hannon
Ruth Hatch
Pat Hicks
Alice House
Amelia Ann Hunter
Pat Ingram
Annabelle Jarrell
Blaine Kelley
Bobby Keever
Bobby Lindsay
Sara C. Little
Dot Putman
Ann Rea
George Reitan
Clara Seabrooks
Lonnie Sides
Sidney Wanzer
Jean Williams
John McCann

*First Row*: Lomax, Bradley, Phillips, Lilly, Redmond, Hunter, Oxner, Howard. *Second Row*: Barbour, Sweat, Clark, Fulbright, Thompson, Elms, Ratcliffe, Grubbs, Thorne. *Third Row*: Bachman, Miller, Hackney, C. Rowe, R. Rowe, Stallings, Dooley, Jarrell. *Fourth row*: Walker, Harrison, Pressley, Isenhour, Parker.

*First Row*: Schoeneck, Atteberry, Ruschenberg, Smith, Nowell, Mims, McWhirter, Arrowood, McManus. *Second Row*: Kornegay, Miller, McLaney, Johnson, Helms, Wylie, Fox. *Third Row*: Kirkpatrick, King, Stilwell, Toney, Lydle, Mull.

Tommy Bachman
Tommy Barbour
Doris Anne Bradley
Barbara Brownlee
Nancy Clark
Jimmy Dooley
Jane Elder
Janet Elms
Charlotte Fulbright
Caroline Grubbs
Edwin Hackney
Clarence Harrison
Carolyn Howard
Helena Hunter
Bryson Irvin
Jack Isenhour
Charles Jarrell
Carolyn Lilly
Frances Lomax
Nick Miller
Wanda Oxner
Jackie Parker
Joy Phillips
Charles Pressley
Hattie Ratcliffe
Betty Redmond
Charles Rowe
Reagan Rowe
Kathryn Schweiger
Jimmy Stallings
Frances Sweat
Susan Thompson
Sam Thorne
Edwin Walker
Jerome Williams

### Miss Allen's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

EDWIN HACKNEY ..... *President*
CHARLES ROWE ..... *Vice-President*
HELENA HUNTER ..... *Secretary*
JACKIE PARKER ..... *Treasurer*
WANDA OXNER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

DORIS ANNE BRADLEY ..... *President*
JACK ISENHOUR ..... *Vice-President*
FRANCES LOMAX ..... *Secretary*
JACKIE PARKER ..... *Treasurer*
FRANCES SWEAT ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Messrs. Barnhardt's and Tinkham's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

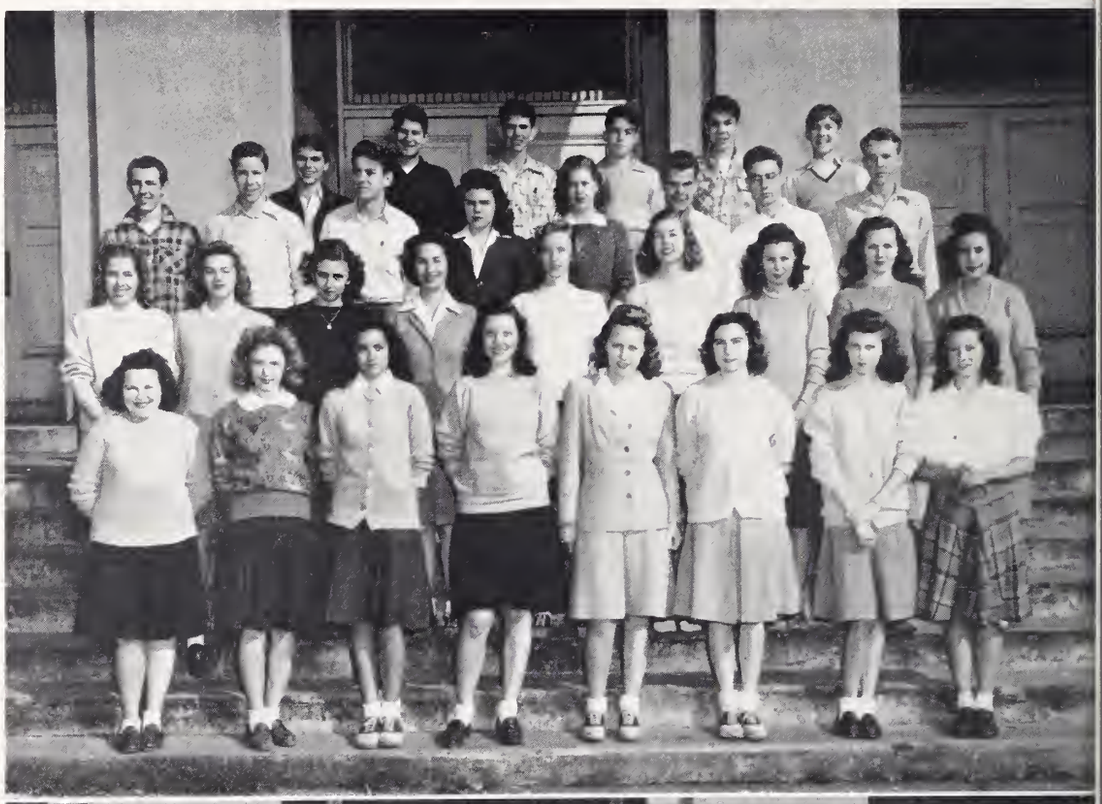
LELAND HELMS ..... *President*
LOLA MCWHIRTER ..... *Vice-President*
JOAN NOWELL ..... *Secretary*
JACK MCLANEY ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

BOB MURPHEY ..... *President*
FRANK LONGINO ..... *Vice-President*
JACK MCLANEY ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*
CHARLES LYDLE ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Priscilla Arrowood
Mary Elizabeth Atteberry
Wade Fox
Leland Helms
Edward Howard
Wayne Johnson
Jack King
Jack Kirkpatrick
David Kornegay
Boyce Lindsay
Frank Longino
Charles Lydle
Jack McLaney
Berenice McManus
Lola McWhirter
Jerome Miller
Barbara Mims
Clyde Mitchell
Calvin Mull
Bob Murphy
Joan Nowell
Dolores Ruschenberg
Betty Sue Schoeneck
Betty Smith
Troy Stillwell
Richard Toney
Robert Wylie
Lake Petrank
Peggy Ann Ross

*First Row*: Hinnant, Coyer, Sisson, Driscoll, Hull, Newman, Spong, Bozeman. *Second Row*: Harris, Gibson, Stover, Painter, Murphy, Brown, McAfee, Beachum, Ashe. *Third Row*: Elmore, Groome, Saunders, Ross, Barber, Crowe, Hovis, White. *Fourth Row*: Calhoun, Stowe, Hann, Albright, Browning, Harding.



*First Row*: Neighbours, Mauldin, Lumpkin, Thornton, Hough, Murphy, Nance, Coppala, Miss Foster. *Second Row*: Robinson, Coffey, Thompson, Webb, Reynolds, Griffin, Cuthbertson, Austin, Tallent. *Third Row*: Houston, Hutchison, Brafford, Harris, Brown, Ledwell, Stilwell, Spillman, Wilson, Barnhardt. *Fourth Row*: Gallimore, McAuley, Bolton, Ervin, Helms, Proctor.

Bill Albright
Grace Ashe
Ellen Barber
Mildred Beachum
Betty Bozeman
Elizabeth Brown
Bill Browning
Thomas Calhoun
Earl Crowe
Doris Coyer
Shirley Driscoll
Donald Elmore
Floyd Ferguson
Faith Gibson
Patricia Godfrey
Bobby Groome
Frank Hann
Burton Harding
Marie Harris
Mary Hinnant
Bill Hovis
Peggy Hull
Johnnie Jones
Betty McAfee
Lorraine Murphy
Hotsy Newman
Frankie Painter
Macy Ross
Bill Saunders
Alice Sisson
Betty Spong
Betty Stover
Harry Stowe
Arnold White

### Miss Brockington's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

PEGGY HULL ..... *President*
ALICE SISSON ..... *Vice-President*
BURTON HARDING ..... *Secretary*
BETTY MCAFEE ..... *Treasurer*
BILL HOVIS ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

BILL BROWNING ..... *President*
DON ELMORE ..... *Vice-President*
FRANK HANN ..... *Secretary*
MARY B. HINNANT ..... *Treasurer*
HARRY STOWE ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Miss Foster's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

BILL BARNHARDT ..... *President*
KINKAID WILSON ..... *Vice-President*
RUTH NANCE ..... *Secretary*
SALLY TALLENT ..... *Treasurer*
EMMA LEE HOUGH ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

RUTH NANCE ..... *President*
MAC MCAULEY ..... *Vice-President*
RUTH GRIFFIN ..... *Secretary*
BUDDY HOUSTON ..... *Treasurer*
BILL BARNHARDT ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Joan Austin
Bill Barnhardt
Edwin Belch
Jimmy Bolton
Ralph Brafford
Lela Brown
Jacquelyne Coffey
Colleen Coppala
Julia Cuthbertson
Joe Ervin
Johnny Gallimore
Ruth Griffin
Stokes Hamilton
Jerry Harris
Frank Helms
Emma Lee Hough
Buddy Houston
Vearl Hutchison
Nora Lee Ledwell
Ruth Lumpkin
Mac McAuley
Lita Mauldin
Joe Miller
Barbara Murphy
Ruth Nance
Betty Neighbours
Henry Poole
Bill Proctor
Alice Reynolds
Eleanor Robinson
Harry Spillman
Mary Ann Stilwell
Sally Tallent
Cecile Thompson
Carolyn Thornton
Jo Elaine Webb
Kinkaid Wilson

*First Row*: Christian, Lander, Cheatham, Carter, Holtzclaw, Snyder, Frew, Todd. *Second Row*: Mock, Moseley, Smith, Boger, Leeper, Collins, Mitchell, Noreen, Ford. *Third Row*: Mason, Hinson, Shoemaker, Cofer, King, Faulkner, Lowery, Dorton, Harris, Moore.

*First Row*: Miss Hutchison, Whitaker, Dennis, Berryhill, Carson, Mills, Matthews, Mason, Rudisell. *Second Row*: McCullough, Ranson, Lankford, Zachary, Norman, Agnew, Keith, Smith, Carr. *Third Row*: Nye, Goode, Maxwell, Kendrick, Green, Kirkpatrick, Goeller, Todd, Wilkinson.

Jackie Boger
Jack Caneclides
Mary Myres Carter
Nancy Cheatham
Carol Christian
Spike Cofer
Desdie Collins
Betty Rose Davis
David Dorton
Gene Faulkner
Ren Frew
Hubert Ford
Buddy Harris
Dick Hinson
Nancy Holder
Jane Holtzclaw
Jack King
Harriet Lander
Doris Leeper
Eugene Lowery
Lawrence Mason
Dougald Matthews
Hugh Mitchell
James Mock
Alfred Moore
Hubert Moseley
Bobby Noreen
Buck Sanders
Richard Shoemaker
Tom Smith
Virginia Snyder
Martha Frances Thornton
Dolores Todd
Brice Windle

### Miss Grier's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

SPIKE (DONALD) COFER ..... *President*
HUBERT MOSELEY ..... *Vice-President*
JANE HOLTZCLAW ..... *Secretary*
JACKIE BOGER ..... *Treasurer*
NANCY HOLDER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

DICK HINSON ..... *President*
JAMES MOCK ..... *Vice-President*
JACKIE BOGER ..... *Secretary*
HUBERT MOSELEY ..... *Treasurer*
HARRIET LANDER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Miss Hutchinson's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

MARILYN MILLS ..... *President*
BETTY CHOATE ..... *Vice-President*
LEON KENDRICK ..... *Secretary*
LESTER TODD ..... *Treasurer*
VIC GOELLER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

CHRISTINE MCCULLOUGH ..... *President*
HARRISON MACCREA ..... *Vice-President*
JUNE KEITH ..... *Secretary*
LEON KENDRICK ..... *Treasurer*
LESTER TODD ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Louise Agnew
Deenie Berryhill
Jeanne Carr
Sally Carson
Betty Choate
Tommy Davis
Nancy Dennis
Henry Duls
Victor Goeller
Grayson Goode
Eleanor Green
June Keith
Leon Kendrick
Greta King
Milo Kirkpatrick
Patricia Lankford
Sally Mason
Joanne Matthews
Allen Maxwell
Christine McCullough
Harrison McCrae
Marilyn Mills
Elbert Nye
Ingrid Norene
Dolores Norman
Emily Ranson
Claire Rudisell
Danny Kate Smith
Nettie Spoon
Lester Todd
Bobby Wilkenson
Mary McCall Whitaker
Martha Zachary

*First Row*: Whiteside, Bryant, Maloney, Frain, Funderburke, Halliburton, Carnes, Brooks. *Second Row*: Haar, Martin, Besser, Grice, Chesick, Cumnock, Claiborne. *Third Row*: B. Covington, Edwards, Rodgers, Adams, Love, DeWitt, Harward, Cockinos. *Fourth row*: Winn, Weisenfelder, J. Covington, Guthery, Thies, Johnston, Steogall, Smith.

*First Row*: Killheffer, Driggers, Broadwell, Simpson, Carter, Pendleton, Shannonhouse, Sides. *Second Row*: J. Biggers, Toffali, Scholl, P. Biggers, Cooke, Knox, Black, Davis, Mamalis. *Third Row*: Futch, Joyner, Allen, Kirby, House, Austin, Montague, Reese. *Fourth Row*: Harrill, Davenport, Tiddy, Goans, Hargett, Hinson.

Nelson Adams
Minnie Besser
Joyce Brooks
Betty Bryant
Peggy Carnes
Ryree Chesick
Anne Claiborne
Mike Cockinos
Bunny Covington
James Covington
Frances Cumnock
Pete DeWitt
Charles Edwards
Frances Frain
Peggy Funderburke
Billie Ann Grice
Paul Guthery
Mary Louise Haar
Larrie Halliburton
Bill Harwood
Roy Johnston
James Love
Ann Maloney
Dossie Martin
Bill Rodgers
Ray Shaw
William Smith
Cary Ellen Spake
Robert Steagall
Frank Thies
Dick Weisenfelder
Vera Whiteside
J. T. Winn

### Miss Kerchner's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

LARRIE HALLIBURTON ..... *President*
ROBERT STEAGALL ..... *Vice-President*
PETE DEWITT ..... *Secretary*
J. T. WINN ..... *Treasurer*
ROBERT STEAGALL ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

PETE DEWITT ..... *President*
DOROTHY MARTIN ..... *Vice-President*
ROBERT STEAGALL ..... *Treasurer*
BILL HARWOOD ..... *Treasurer*
LARRIE HALLIBURTON ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Miss Lafferty's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

ANN MOSS ..... *President*
DICK TIDDY ..... *Vice-President*
DESSIE BROADWELL ..... *Secretary*
ZEB HARGETT ..... *Treasurer*
BOBBY KIRKY ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

DICK TIDDY ..... *President*
FAIRFAX MONTAGUE ..... *Vice-President*
DESSIE BROADWELL ..... *Secretary*
ZEB HARGETT ..... *Treasurer*
BOBBY KIRBY ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Jim Allen
Bill Austin
Gene Austin
Peggy Biggers
Jean Biggers
Joyce Black
Dessie Broadwell
June Carter
Elsie Cooke
William Davenport
Frieda Davis
Marinette Driggers
Bill Futch
Jack Goans
Zeb Hargett
Hal Harrill
Ruth Harrison
Julian Hinson
Donald House
Bill Joyner
Barbara Killheffer
Bob Kirby
Clara Knox
Van Love
Sophie Mamalis
Fairfax Montague
Ann Moss
Ruth Pendleton
Charles Reese
Charlene Scholl
Becky Shannonhouse
Juanita Sides
Jean Simpson
Frank Stewart
Dick Tiddy
Philomeria Toffali

*First Row*: Beam, Simpson, Wafford, Thomas, Marks, Dellinger, Lawing. *Second Row*: Zeman, McKnight, Atkinson, Stephenson, Finlayson, Lee, Goldstein, Hobbs. *Third Row*: Gettys, Christenbury, Saine, Mills, Hartis, Byrum, Richards, Wheeler, Muse.

*First Row*: Phelps, Propst, Dodger, Alexander, Carriker, Thomas, Lipe, Lofland. *Second Row*: Chaplin, Carson, Sandifer, Yarbrough, Christopher, Smith, Johnson, Dorsett, Flake. *Third Row*: Watterson, Ritch, Langford, Linker, Woody, Middleton, Sims, Nance. *Fourth Row*: Hartsell, Hunnings, Hodge.

Patsy Atkinson
Billy Battle
Martha Beam
Clarence Byrum
William Christenbury
Colleen Collins
Jane Dellinger
Carolyn Finlayson
Bill Gettys
Rosalind Goldstein
Bill Hartis
Margaret Hobbs
Myra Lawing
Betty Louise Lee
Margaret Frances Little
Bill Louder
Betty Lou Marks
Doris McKnight
James Mills
Oren Muse
Elizabeth Phifer
Betty Prince
Scooter Richards
Pat Saine
Virginia Simpson
Nancy Stephenson
Betty Thomas
Shirley Wafford
Louise Walker
Charles Wheeler
Winnie Zeman

### Miss M. E. Morgan's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

COLLEEN COLLINS ..... *President*
BILL GETTYS ..... *Vice-President*
MARGARET HOBBS ..... *Secretary*
OREN MUSE ..... *Treasurer*
MYRA LAWING ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

JANE DELLINGER ..... *President*
CLARENCE BYRUM ..... *Vice-President*
BETTY L. LEE ..... *Secretary*
MYRA LAWING ..... *Treasurer*
SCOOTER RICHARDS ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Miss Odom's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

MARION CHRISTOPHER ..... *President*
LIBBY PROPST ..... *Vice-President*
BOB SIMS ..... *Secretary*
ANN CARSON ..... *Treasurer*
BOB HARTSELL ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

VIRGINIA SMITH ..... *President*
LIBBY PROPST ..... *Vice-President*
HERBERT MIDDLETON ..... *Secretary*
CAROLD WILLIAMS ..... *Treasurer*
MARION CHRISTOPHER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Jackie Alexander
Elora Carriker
Ann Carson
Billie Carswell
Jean Chaplin
Marion Christopher
Mary Ann Dodger
Mary Jo Dorsett
Katherine Flake
Ronald Green
Bob Hartsell
Bill Hodge
W. G. Hunnings
Jane Johnson
Naomie Jump
Tommy Langford
Louis Linker
Betty Lou Lipe
Betty Lofland
Herbert Middleton
John Nance
Marilyn Phelps
Libby Propst
Buddy Ritch
Betty Rae Sandifer
Bob Sims
Virginia Smith
Martha Thomas
Charles Watterson
Carold Williams
Gary Woody
Betty Ray Yarbrough

*First Row*: Miss Summers, Sheer, Scales, Haynes, Moore, Stewart, Burch, Faires, Hood, Wellons. *Second Row*: Young, Goff, Lazenby, Flath, McCall, Andrews, Rudisill, West, McAllister, Chambers. *Third Row*: Bush, Murphy, B. Smith, Davis, Chamberlain, Roberts, Kaiser, Thornton, Shanklin, Waugh. *Fourth Row*: Satterfield, R. Smith, Howard.

*First Row*: Beatty, Mallonee, Karres, Gregory, Wood, Price, Wall, Horne, McNeely. *Second Row*: Stafford, Kidd, Robinson, Neill, Powell, Hunter, Smith, Digh. *Third Row*: J. Weeks, Johnson, Webb, Sowell, L. Weeks, Blankenship, Williams.

Blanche Andrews
Jane Earl Burch
Houston Bush
Rhett Chamberlain
Mary Alice Chambers
Alan Davis
Pat Faires
Joan Flath
Frances Goff
Nancy Haynes
Carolyn Hood
Robey Howard
Charles Kaiser
Hillard Knight
Bobbie Lazenby
Barbara McAllister
Claire McCall
Nancy Moore
Frank Murphy
Bob Roberts
Jane Rudisill
Richard Satterfield
Mary Alice Scales
Marshall Shanklin
Suzanne Sheer
Bill Smith
Ruffin Smith
Sally Stewart
Spencer Thornton
John Waugh
Anne Wellons
Mot West
Betty Jane Young

### Miss Summer's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

CLAIRE MCCALL . . . . . *President*
ANNE WELLONS . . . . . *Vice-President*
JANE RUDISILL . . . . . *Secretary*
BARBARA MCALLISTER . . . . . *Treasurer*
MARY ALICE CHAMBERS . . . *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

RHETT CHAMBERLAIN . . . . . *President*
HILLARD KNIGHT . . . . . *Vice-President*
BOB ROBERTS . . . . . *Secretary*
FRANK MURPHY . . . . . *Treasurer*
MARY ALICE CHAMBERS . . . *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Mrs. Whitacre's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

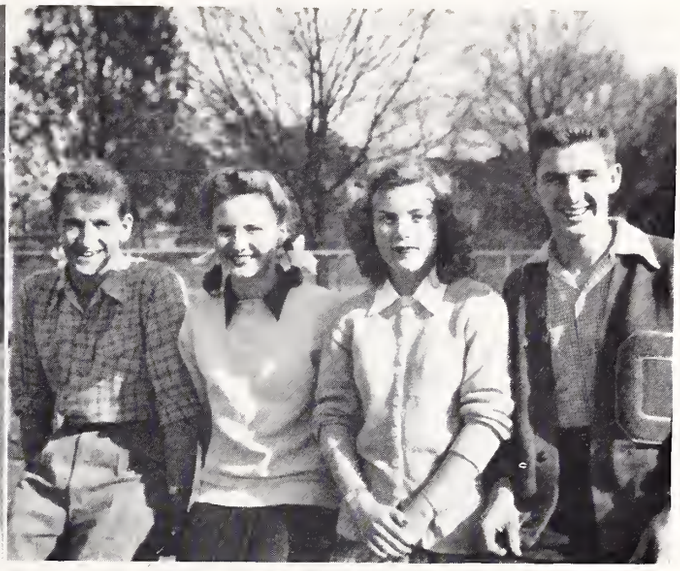
DONALD MCCORKLE . . . . . *President*
JEANNINE GREGORY . . . . . *Vice-President*
DENA KARRES . . . . . *Secretary*
STOWE BLANKENSHIP . . . . . *Treasurer*
KATHERINE BEATTY . . . . . *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

NICK SOWELL . . . . . *President*
RALPH JOHNSON . . . . . *Vice-President*
MARY BETH WALL . . . . . *Secretary*
BARBARA DUNCAN . . . . . *Treasurer*
MARY KLAAS . . . . . *Student Assembly Representative*

Katherine Beatty
Stowe Blankenship
Seth Cranford
Frank Digh
Barbara Duncan
Jeannine Gregory
Bob Hendley
Wilma Horne
Maybeth Hunter
Ralph Johnson
Dena Karres
Harvy Kidd
Mary Klaas
Jimmy Luther
Martha Mallonee
Donald McCorkle
Doris McNeely
Patricia Neill
Jeannine Powell
Nancy Price
Emilie Robinson
Harold Smith
Martha Smith
Nick Stafford
Charles Steward
Nick Sowell
Beth Wall
Harrison Webb
John Weeks
Leslie Weeks
Earl Williams
Peggy Wood

WHITE, BUTCHER, BULLARD, EDMONDS



WADE, BULLARD, LINKER, EDMONDS

# SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

*First Semester*

| | |
|---|---|
| TOMMY EDMONDS | *President* |
| BETTY BULLARD | *Vice-President* |
| BILL WHITE | *Secretary* |
| CAROLYN BUTCHER | *Treasurer* |

*Second Semester*

| | |
|---|---|
| HAM WADE | *President* |
| TOMMY EDMONDS | *Vice-President* |
| BETTY BULLARD | *Secretary* |
| JANET LINKER | *Treasurer* |
| MRS. C. HENDERSON | *Adviser* |

The class of 1948 began its career at Central High School with the election of officers, headed by Tommy Edmonds, president.

After a spirited campaign and election, the first item of business was the selection of standing committees. Ham Wade was made chairman of the Commencement Committee, which had charge of the decorations for Commencement. Carolyn Butcher led the Social Committee, which planned all the parties. The high light of the social season was the square dance given in the gym on March 22nd. Betty Bullard was chairman of the program committee. The three programs given during the first semester featured information concerning goals which we should all attain; the Honor Society, which we hoped to make; and awards, honors, and scholarships to which we should hitch our wagons of ambition.

The class was indebted to its splendid adviser, Mrs. Cornelia Henderson, and appreciated her good advice, patience, and enthusiasm, as well as her sympathetic understanding.

*First Row*: Helms, Bradley, Michael, Cook, Hendrickson, Palmer, Fox, Orr, Presson. *Second Row*: Pappas, Wilson, Shaw, Richardson, Dorsey, Baucom, Richards, Brown, Caneclides, Linker. *Third Row*: Barksdale, Weller, Hunnicutt, Galphin, Garner, Lampros, Clardy, Garrett, Lowrance. *Fourth Row*: Weinstein, Deal, Thigpen, Wilson, Marshburn, Baughman, Lookabill.

*First Row:* Shiver, Sweatt, Todd, Thies, White, Ivey, House, Butcher. *Second Row*: Bates, Kauffman, Smith, Bird, Matson, Bigham, Straiton, Ellington. *Third Row*: Robinson, Helms, Buie, McLaughlin, Allred, Beatty, Shaver, Wearn, Shuman. *Fourth Row*: Smith, Gardner, Rogers, Michaels, Gamble, McLean, Saunders, Rappe, Hovis, Noggle.

Frances Barksdale
Alice Baucom
Glenn Baughman
Helen Bradley
Betty Brown
Margaret Emily Bryan
Rose Marie Caneclides
Winnee Clardy
Joan Cook
C. P. Deal
Helen Dorsey
Peggy Fox
Phyllis Galphin
Carolyn Garner
Joanne Garrett
Marion Helms
Donna Hendrickson
Jeanne Hunnicutt
Joan Lampros
Janet Linker
Charles Lookabill
Betty Lowrance
Fulton Lynch
Franklin Marshburn
Emily Mayer
Evelyn Michael
Eleanor Orr
Frankie Palmer
Thalia Pappas
Julia Presson
Mary Richards
Deane Richardson
Jane Shaw
Dick Thigpen
Harold Weinstein
Patsy Weller
Betty Wilson
Maurice Wilson

### Mrs. Asbury's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

PEGGY FOX ..... *President*
BETTY LOWRANCE ..... *Vice-President*
JEAN COOK ..... *Secretary*
JOANNE GARRETT ..... *Treasurer*
FRANKIE PALMER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

FRANKIE PALMER ..... *President*
DICK THIGPEN ..... *Vice-President*
PHYLLIS GALPHIN ..... *Secretary*
MAURICE WILSON ..... *Treasurer*
FRANCES BARKSDALE ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

# SOPHOMORES 1946 . . .

### Miss Balle's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

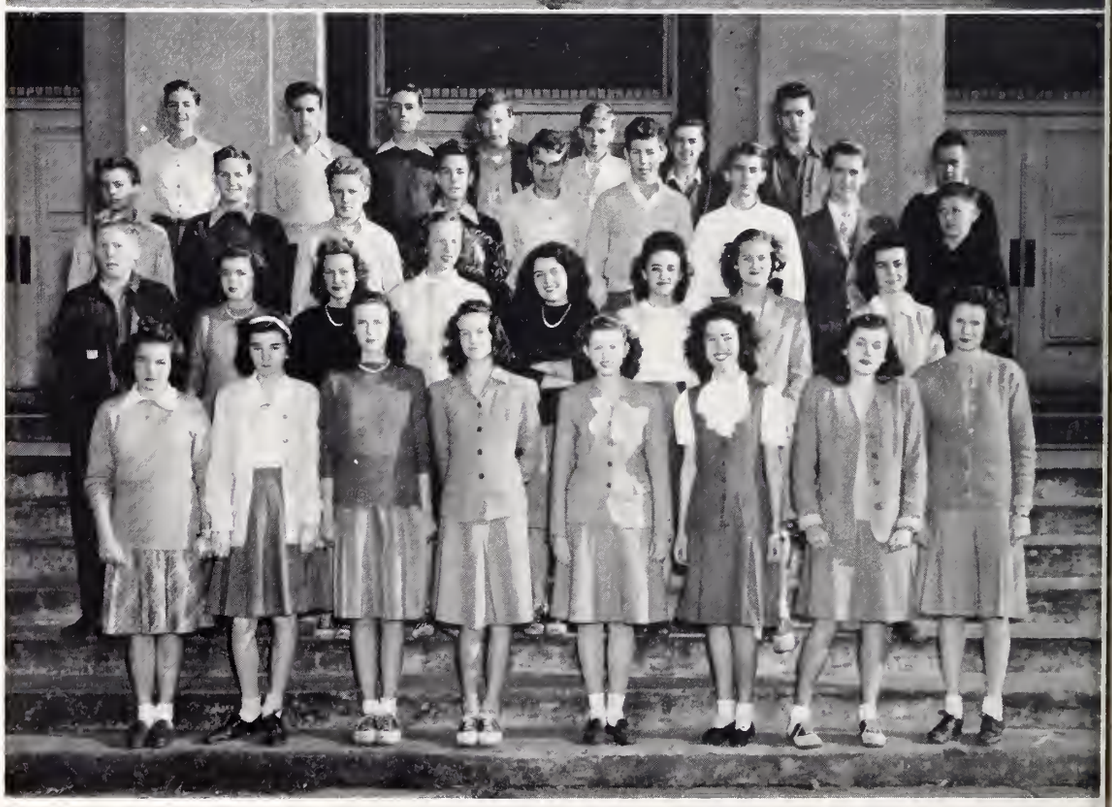
MALCOLM MCLEAN ..... *President*
REGGIE BUIE ..... *Vice-President*
JOHN GAMBLE ..... *Secretary*
PATSY ELLINGTON ..... *Treasurer*
CAROLYN BUTCHER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

BASIL MICHAELS ..... *President*
REGGIE BUIE ..... *Vice-President*
JOE HELMS ..... *Secretary*
JOHN GAMBLE ..... *Treasurer*
CAROLYN BUTCHER ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Willard Allred
Frances Bates
Francis Beatty
Jimmy Beaver
Susie Bigham
Patsy Bird
Alice Brown
Reggie Buie
Carolyn Butcher
Patsy Ellington
John Gamble
Jimmy Gardner
Joe Helms
Mary Brennon House
Billy Hovis
Delores Ivey
Anne Kauffman
Jo Ann Matson
Brice McLaughlin
Malcolm McLean
Basil Michaels
J. B. Noggle
James Rappe
Lee Roy Robinson
George Rogers
Charles Saunders
Delmar Shaver
Dorothy Shiver
Bobby Shuman
Betsy Smith
Tommy Smith
Jeanne Strauton
Catherine Sweatt
Martha Thies
Donald Thomas
Betsy Todd
Frances Trout
Allen Wearn
Shirley White

*First Row*: Brabham, Glass, Correll, DeArmon, Weinhold, Sprock, Whitsett, Reid, Hunter. *Second Row*: Robinson, Cobb, Pharr, Baucom, Bing, Sutherland, MacRorie, Washam, Arant, Kelly. *Third Row*: Maxwell, Edmonds, Taylor, Smith, Krob, Mallory, Little, Lowman, Hoppe, Kortheuer. *Fourth Row*: Whitacre, Whiteside, Parker, Morgan.



*First Row*: Caudle, Hemby, Mungo, Swaringer, Sullivan, Robinson, Foy, Pasour. *Second Row*: Price, Duncan, Creech, Hanson, Brown, Hall, Braswell, Jones. *Third Row*: Bumgarner, Gabriel, Cornelius, Todd, Goodwin, Long, Jordan, Wade, Thompson. *Fourth Row*: Roberts, Knight, Mullen, Hague, Clarkson, Fletcher, Comer, Croxson.

Charlotte Arant
Roberta Baucomb
Ann Bing
Dorothy Brabham
Mary Cobb
Geneva Correll
Anne DeArmon
Tommy Edmonds
Gilbert Ford
Shirley Glass
Bob Hoppe
Anne Hunter
Buena Lee Hunter
Helen Kelly
John Kortheuer
Leslie Krob
Gene Little
Jerry Lowman
Johnny Mallory
Worth Maxwell
Joan MacRorie
Anne Menus
Jimmy Morgan
Hugh Parker
Joan Pharr
Barbara Reid
Sarah Robinson
Glenn Smith
Gloria Sprock
Jean Sutherland
Dottie Tarnopol
Bill Taylor
Joe Taylor
Becky Washam
Kathleen Weinhold
Hiram Whitaker
Bill White
Leonard Whiteside
Barbara Whitsett

### Miss Bransford's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

JOAN PHARR ..... *President*
HELEN KELLY ..... *Vice-President*
BARBARA REID ..... *Secretary*
JOHN KORTHEUER ..... *Treasurer*
TOMMY EDMONDS ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

*Second Semester*

BILL WHITE ..... *President*
JEAN SUTHERLAND ..... *Vice-President*
ANN HUNTER ..... *Secretary*
GENE LITTLE ..... *Treasurer*
TOMMY EDMONDS ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

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### Miss Brice's Home Room

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

HAM WADE ..... *President*
DON COMER ..... *Vice-President*
PEGGY HALL ..... *Secretary*
ROBERT CROXSON ..... *Treasurer*
JORD JORDAN ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

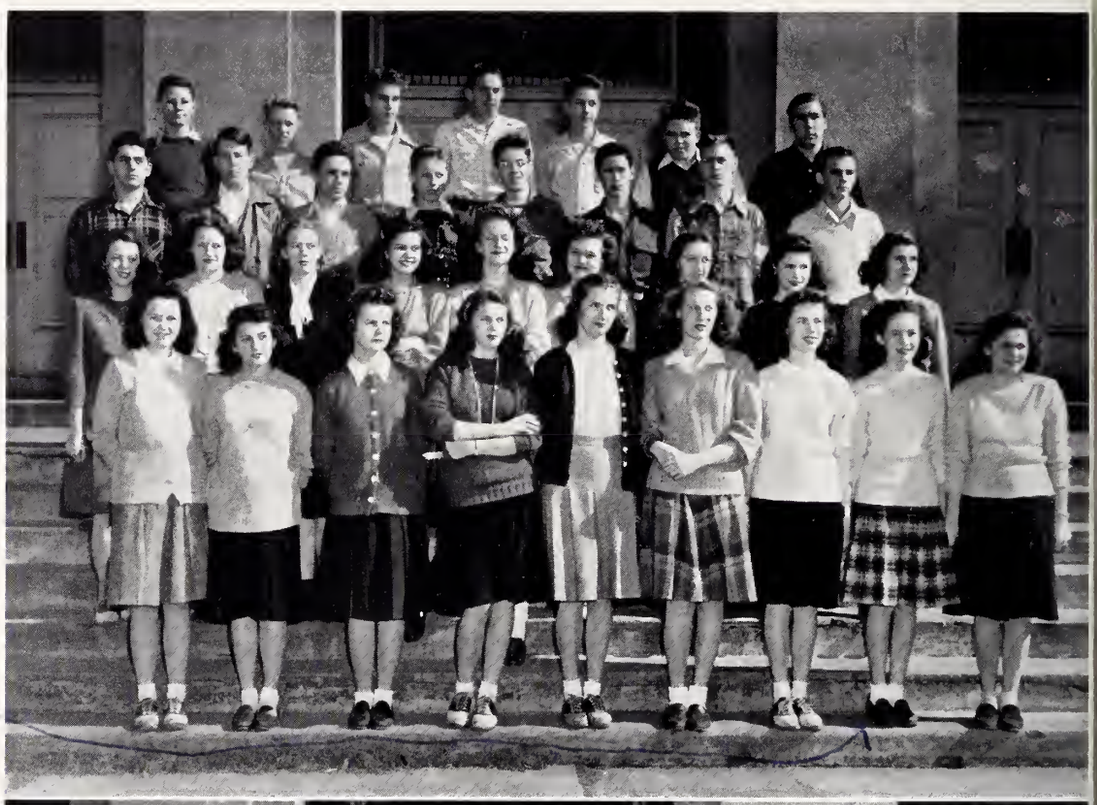
*Second Semester*

ROBERT CROXSON ..... *President*
KARL HILL ..... *Vice-President*
DON COMER ..... *Secretary*
BETTY CREECH ..... *Treasurer*
GEORGE CROUCH ..... *Student Assembly Representative*

Dale Arthur
Kathleen Bonfoey
Magdalene Braswell
Virginia Brown
Robert Bumgarner
Joan Caudle
Frank Clarkson
Don Comer
Jake Cornelius
Betty Creech
George Crouch
Robert Croxson
Janie Duncan
Charles Fletcher
Shirley Foy
Katy Francis
Bobby Gabriel
Robert Goodwin
Michael Hague
Peggy Hall
Mary Lou Hanson
Ann Hemby
Karl Hill
Betty Jean Jones
Jord Jordan
George Knight
Robert Long
Bill Mullen
Patty Lou Mungo
Robbie Lou Pasour
Harrell Price
Clyde Roberts
Mary Ann Robinson
Helen Sullivan
Marion Stine
Ruth Swaringen
Jack Thompson
James Todd
Ham Wade

P.S. I'd like to know if this is the best of luck & best wishes — Editing remember typing ??? — as I know you didn't know!

*First Row*: Camp, Hannon, Hair, Fowlkes, Bracken, Whitehead, Neely, Beatty, Coutras. *Second Row*: Waller, Rayburn, Littlejohn, Rayfield, Smith, Creighton, Allen, Lurton, Carroll. *Third Row*: Gorelick, Ross, Frazier, Hobbs, Womack, Presson, Anderson, Patterson. *Fourth Row*: Kendall, Evans, Bostick, Dillon, Aycock, Clark, Elwood.



Dear Barbara:
It's a pleasure to know you. Always stay as sweet as you are.
Love,
Betty

*First Row*: Arant, Polk, Wilkinson, Frye, Hall, Harrison, Bullard, Cooper. *Second Row*: Hoke, Mauldin, Ray, Nisbet, Patterson, Gaither, McMahon, Marshall, Newitt. *Third Row*: Gettle, Lewis, Downey, Crockford, Williamson, German, Rogers, Owens, Torrence, Price. *Fourth Row*: Sheron, Childers, Cloaninger, Brownlee, Albergotti, McKnight, Harkey, Niemer, Summers.

Marceil Allen
Alex Anderson
Dan Aycock
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Seth Bostick
Beth Bracken
Nancy Brigmon
Jackie Camp
Nancy Carroll
Don Clark

Grace Coutras
Jane Covington
Deedy Creighton
Nancy Crump
Joe Dillon
Billy Elwood
Donnie Evans
Patsy Fowlkes
Bernie Frazier

Shelton Gorelick
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Flora Hannon
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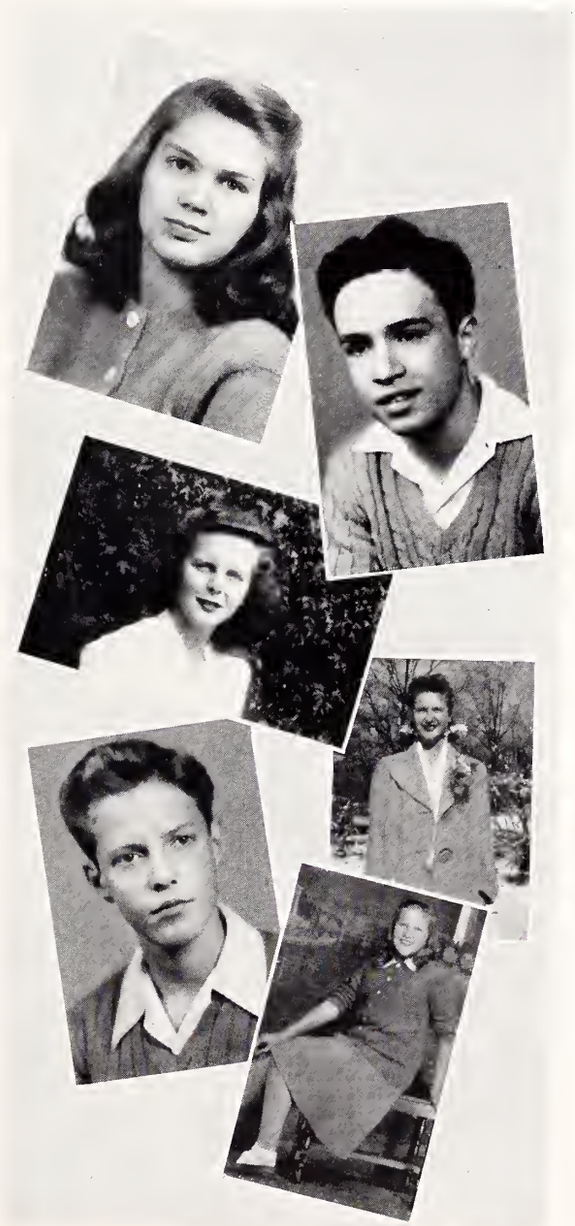

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Betty Cooper
Betty Crockford
Jane Downey
Doris Anne Drye
Jo Gaither

Beth German
Don Gettle
Dot Grant
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Jack Harkey
Beverly Harrison
Alma Hoke
Margaret Inman
Patsy Kiser
John Lewis

Jo Anne Marshall
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Rodney McKnight
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Mildred Newitt
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Genie Nisbet
Jerry Owens
Ruth Patterson
Doris Jean Polk

Tap Price
Patsy Ray
Nancy Dell Rogers
Dewey Sheron
Lelia Shore
Nancy Smith
Cameron Summers
Tommy Torrence
Sara Wilkinson
Betty Williamson

*First Row*: Stegall, Sherrill, Faulkner, Proctor, Smith, Moore, Carpenter, Stokes. *Second Row*: Sheehan, Matthews, Taylor, Greene, Jones, Heinke, Cullingford, Ross, Whitley. *Third Row*: Philemon, Nash, Baker, Patton, Trapp, McNeil, Poteat, Ramsey. *Fourth Row*: Shepard, Dorsey, Theiling, Bunn, Yoos, Thornton, Rollins, Elam, McCall.

*First Row*: Henderson, Griffith, English, Fite, Johnston, Dixon, Lawless, Sarratt, Hollows, Friedman. *Second Row*: Covington, Gottlieb, Sarsfield, Frizzell, Jones, McSwain, Sloan, McKelway, Todd, Plumides, Gibson. *Third Row*: Houston, Watts, Eckard, Boyer, Laity, Boozer, Cash, Renfrow, Parks, Price. *Fourth Row*: Crow, Million, Cranford.

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Nancy Blackburn
Betsy Boyd
Joe Bunn
Darleina Carpenter
Barbara Cullingford
John Dorsey
Louis Elam
Frances Faulkner
William Golden
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Barbara Ross
Evelyne Sheehan
Marshall Shepard
Jennie Anne Sherrill
Betty Jean Smith
Betty Stegall
Bobbie Stokes
Minnie Lee Taylor
Henry Theiling
Richard Thorton
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Novella Whitley
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David Yoos

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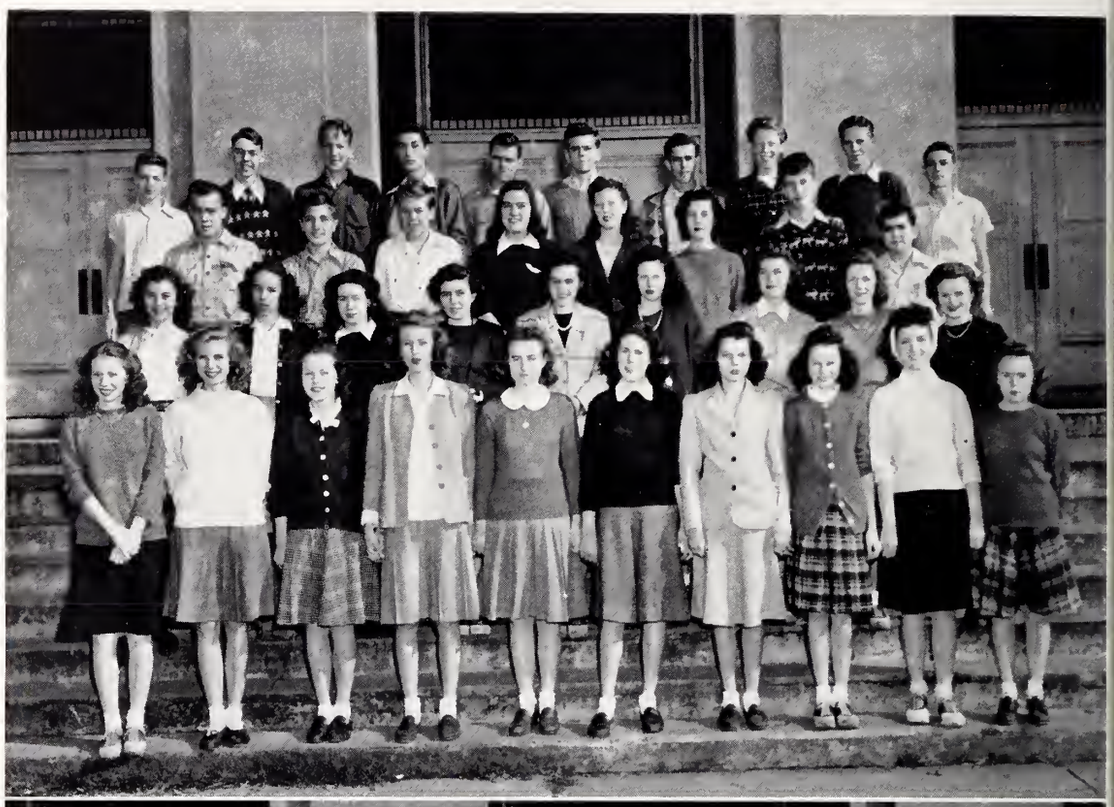
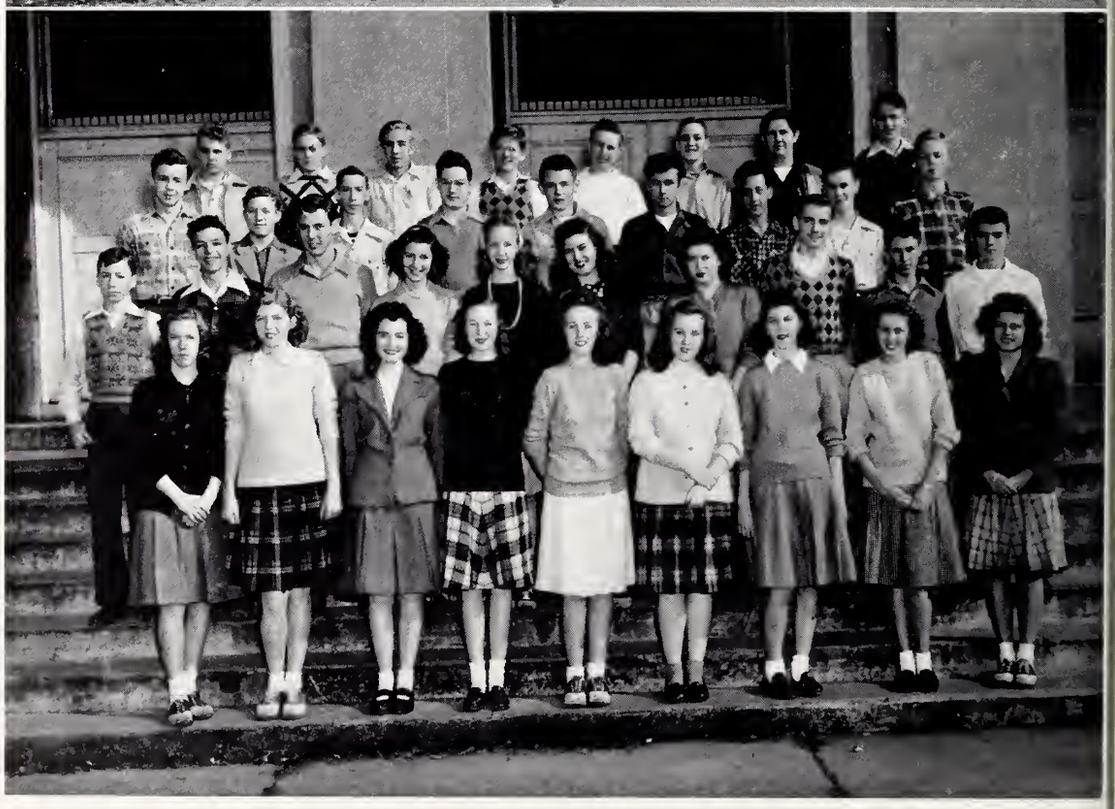
Alma Boozer
Hugh Boyer
Lois Cash
Cecelia Covington
"Speedy" Cranford
Bill Crow
Peggy Dixon
Betty Ducker
Jerry Eckard
Jean English
Saralyn Fite
Edna Friedmon
Frances Frizzell
Mary Jeanne Gibson
"Cissie" Gottleib
Myra Griffith
Margy Hollows
Joe Houston
Dorothy Johnston
Roberta Jones
Emma Lawless
Jane McCreary
George McCorkle
Kate McKelway
Betty Jean McSwain
Betty Marks
Pete Million
Dan Parks
Maria Plumides
Knox Price
Glenn Renfrow
Jack Rowland
Jo Ellen Sarratt
Jane Sarsfield
Jo Sloan
Kathryn Todd
Herman Watts

*First Row*: Truax, Medberry, Sommers, Wilson, Ballew, Mobley, Conner, Potts, Britt, Snyder. *Second Row*: Dross, Todd, Allen, Diffley, Williams, Biter, Lewis, Stanley, Berryhill. *Third Row*: Culp, Folk, Kelley, Lawless, Ashcraft, Gilliam, Fitzgerald, Willis. *Fourth Row*: Keesler, Alexander, Starnes, Nolan, Faulkner, Stagg, Caddell, Booker, Curlee, McAden.





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Uhlman Alexander
Irvina Allen
Florence Ashcraft
Paula Ballew
Joyce Berryhill
Bette Biter
Harry Booker
Betty Britt
Bill Brockman
Pete Caddell
Virginia Conner
Ned Culp
David Curlee
Marion Diffley
Bessie Dross
Don Faulkner
Al Fitzgerald
Chris Folk
Phyllis Gilliam
Dewey Keesler
Austin Kelley
Ann Lawless
Elizabeth Lewis
Lola Love
Tommy McAden
Carrie Medberry
Boyce Miller
Jane Mobley
Jimmy Nolan
Margaret Potts
Josephine Snyder
Mary Virginia Sommers
Bill Stagg
Dolores Stanley
Ronald Starnes
Sara Todd
Jane Truax
Betty Williams
Maxie Willis
Mary Wilson

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Arch Arwood
Russell Atkinson
William Bailey
Ben Baker
John Bennett
Joseph Boeckelman
Miriam Blake
Mary Lou Brock
Claire May Broome
Billy Burnette
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Miller Coggins
Frederick Cordell
Robert Davis
David Deal
Sarah DeFarvis
Hilda Finlayson
Geraldine Furr
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Charlotte Hale
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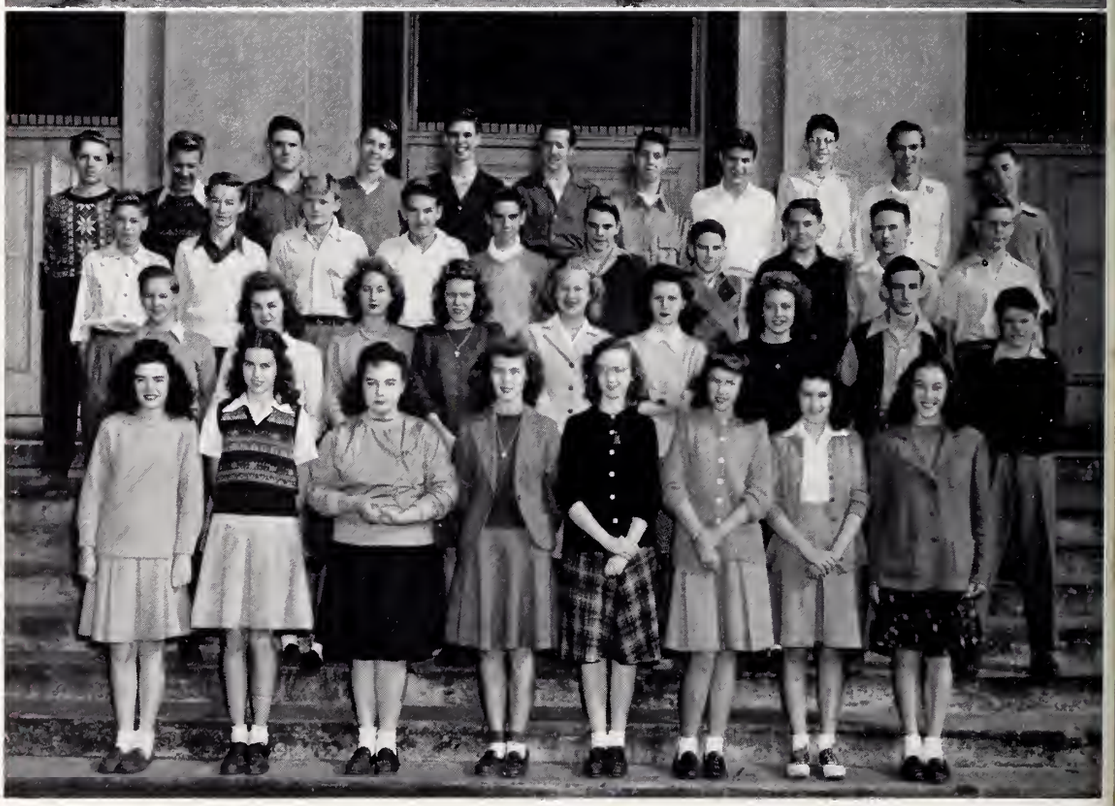
Wilber Hopper
Bill Howard
Donald Hunter
William Kenyan
James Kilgo
Joel Langford
Jack Lawing
Jim Layton
Betty Martin
Hilda Marston
Lloyd Moon
Nancy Moser
Clyde Oates
Paul Perry
Ina Phillips
Margaret Sims
Jimmie Stikeleather

*First Row*: Jackson, McBride, Mills, Padgett, Ritch, Stephens, Hagan, Gettys. *Second Row*: Rutledge, Bennett, Deese, Green, Baldwin, Randall, Womack, Perry, Mallard. *Third Row*: Selvey, West, Jones, Rush, Parker, J. Taylor, Morgan, Hayes. *Fourth Row*: Lawing, Sistrunk, Daniels, Peterson, Rucker, Moore, Kirkpatrick.



*First Row*: Quickel, McClain, Stuckey, Green, Straw, Kemp, Karras, Howell. *Second Row*: Tucker, Shinn, Simpkins, Hanna, Warmbold, Cruse, Barnhardt, Gallant, Westmoreland. *Third Row*: McCord, Moore, Smyly, King, Orr, Mills, Curlee, Smith, Greene, Garner. *Fourth Row*: Pappas, Robbins, Troutman, Engle, Melson, E. Williams, Cuthbertson, G. Williams, Sappenfield, Woodward, Deese.

Grace Baldwin
James Bennett
Ferry Daniels
Joyce Deese
Betty Gettys
Carolyn Green
Patsy Hagan
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Dempsey Honeycutt
Laurice Jackson
Terry Jones
Tommy Kirkpatrick
C. G. Lawing
Caryl McBride
Gordon Mallard
Dorothy Mills
Pat Moore
Reece Morgan
Barbara Jean Padgett
Harold Parker
Robert Parker
Arthur Perry
Tommy Peterson
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Mary Alice Randall
Edna Ritch
Eugene Rucker
Jesse Rush
Monte Rutledge
William Selvey
Cecil Sherrill
Sarah Shubert
Floyd Sistrunk
Dorla Dean Stephens
Job Taylor
Ruby Walker
Dan Walton
Robert West
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Alice Barnhardt
Jean Cruse
Sandy Curlee
Rennie Cuthbertson
Richard Deese
Jimmy Engle
Jack Gallant
Maurice Garner
Charles Greene
Edna Green
Jean Ann Hanna
Quincie Howell
Betty Karras
Ann Kemp
Keith King
Rose Lee McClain
Steve McCord
Donald Melson
Tommy Mills
Norman Moore
LeRoy Orr
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Jean Quickel
Kendree Robbins
Charles Sappenfield
Dorothy Shinn
Janet Simpkins
Roy Smith
Jim Smyly
Ann Straw
Julaine Stuckley
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Nathan Tucker
Betty Jo Warmbold
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Book Two

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*Clubs, Culture*

*and Cuties*

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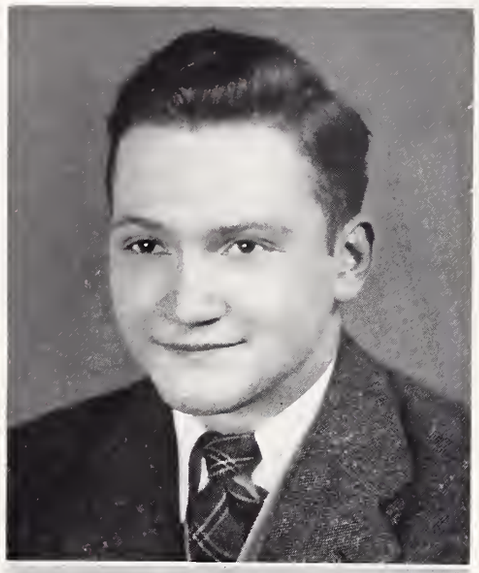

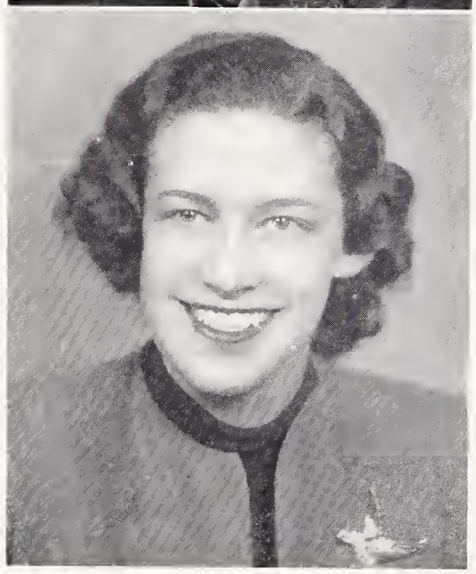

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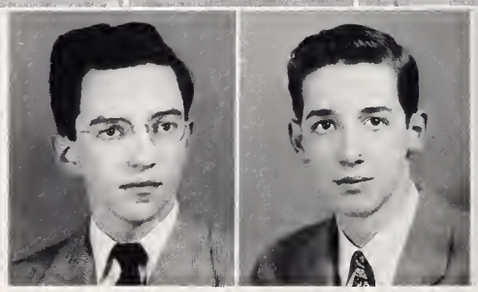

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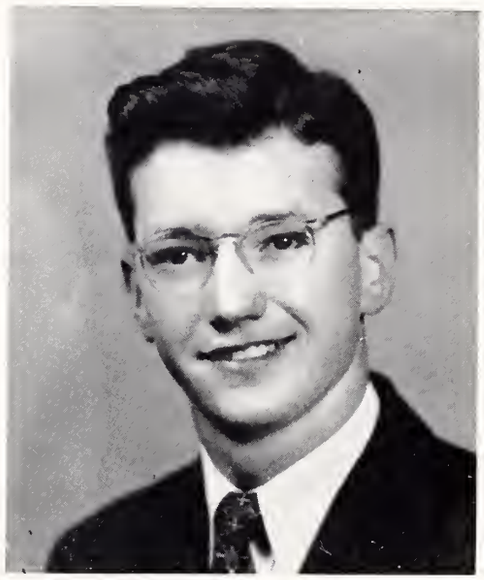

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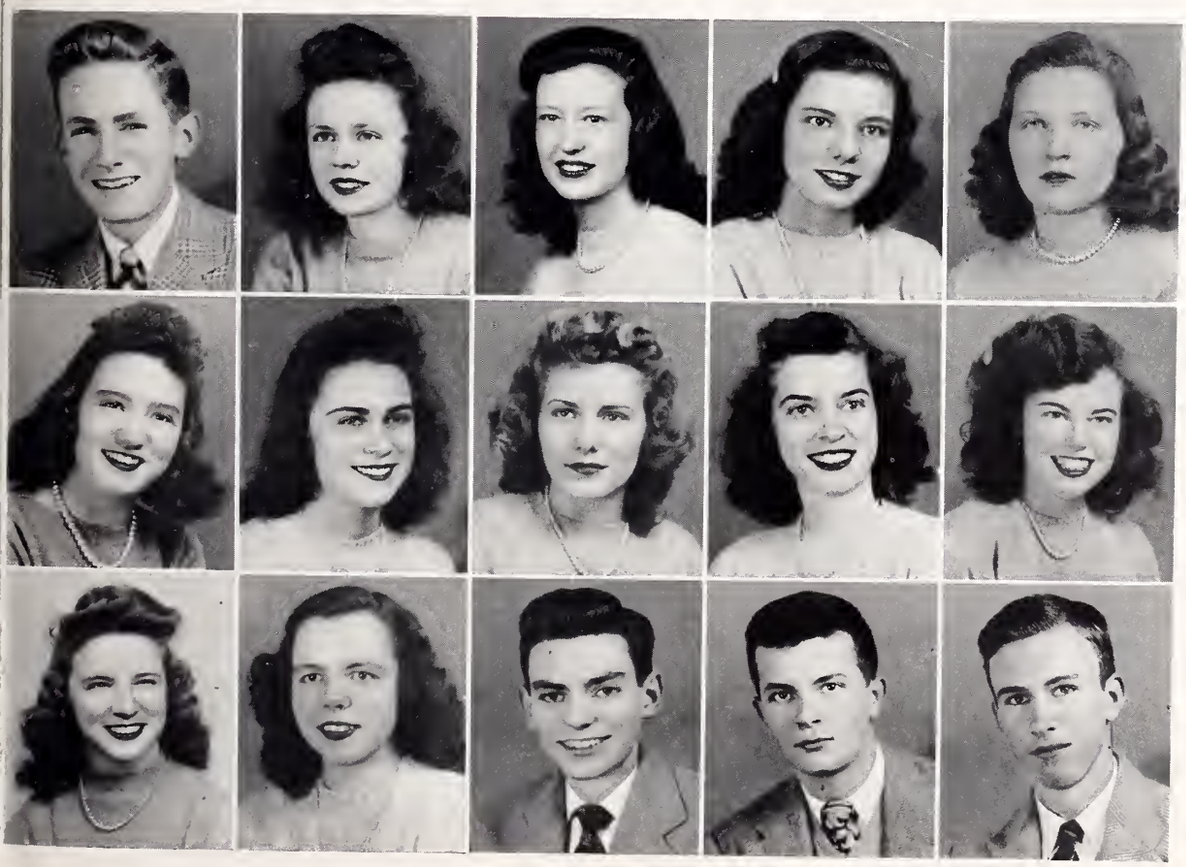

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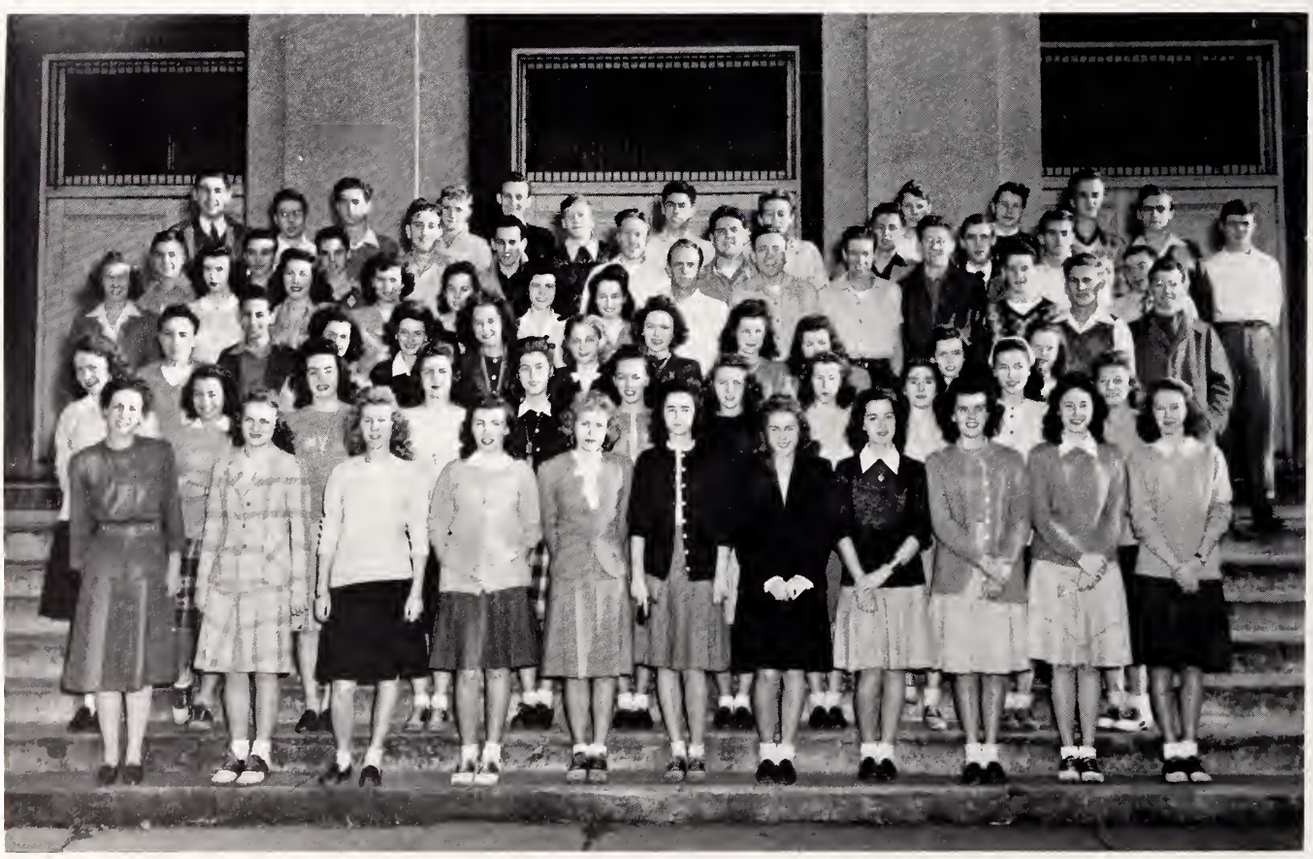

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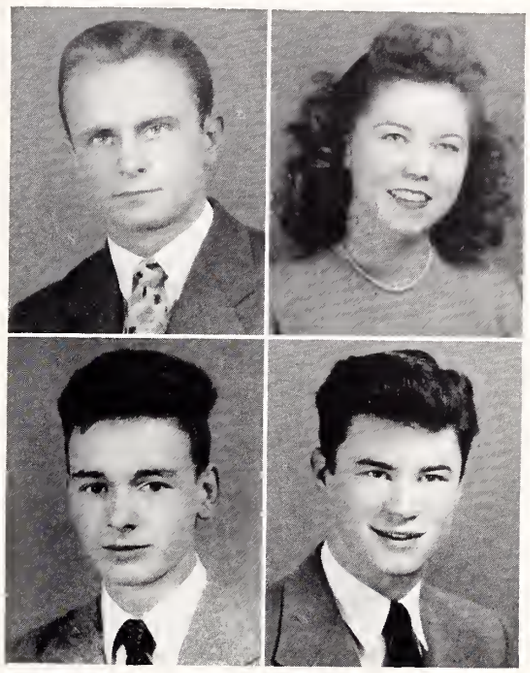

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From a four column, fifteen-inch page, the *Rambler*, official newspaper of Central High School, has grown to a six column, twenty-inch paper with a circulation of 1200. With circulation and advertising at its highest peak, the paper has improved greatly since the publication of its first volume.

Organized in 1921, this paper had its start in the Charlotte High School, now Alexander Graham Junior High. Throughout this quarter century, Miss Jessie Henderson has fostered the *Rambler* staff. Under her guidance, the *Rambler* has been rated the All-American Superior High School Newspaper in the Columbia Scholastic Press Association contest.

Besides its circulation in Central, the *Rambler* is mailed out to its advertisers and a mailing list of former students who have subscribed. Also, it is requested by many high schools and colleges throughout the eastern coast.

This year, it has been the utmost desire of the staff that the paper be of the students, by the students, and FOR the students.

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SPROLES

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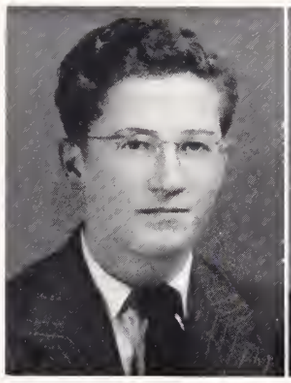
DAVID IVEY
*Chairman, First Semester*



# DANCE COMMITTEE

*First Row:* Ham Wade, Buddy Harris, David Ivey, Tap Price. *Second Row:* Vic Goeller, Hillard Knight, Bob Morrow, Marshall Whisnant, Sonny Alexander.

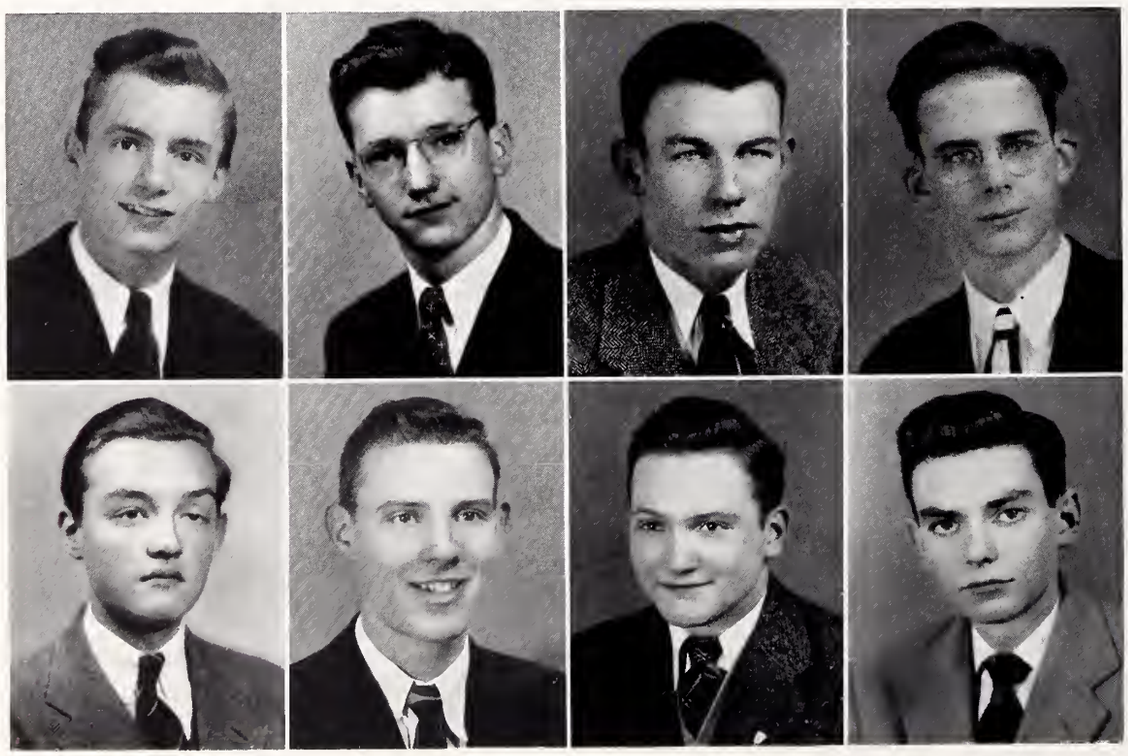
# ORATORICAL AND DEBATING SOCIETY

| *First Semester* | | *Second Semester* | |
|---|---|---|---|
| PAUL RITCH | *President* | CHUCK KIRBY | *President* |
| CHUCK KIRBY | *Secretary* | GROVER MARTIN | *Vice-President* |
| JACK DAVIS | *Treasurer* | JACK DAVIS | *Secretary* |
| | | DAVID HAYS | *Treasurer* |

*Members:* Robey Howard, Charles Kisner, Plug Osborne, Jimmy Owens, and Wylie Smith.

The Oratorical and Debating Society has been very active in the past year. The society has been under the supervision of Mr. Otts, and the members feel that their success is the product of his efforts.

The society meets every Wednesday afternoon for a regular business meeting. As a program for the meeting a debate is held which has been assigned the previous week. The society represented Central on the Junior Town-Meeting of the Air November 21. Several of the society debated a second time when the Interdenominational Council prepared the program. The society sponsored the American Legion Oratorical Contest in this school. The society gave an excellent program in the auditorium on April 25. As a climax for the year the society had a banquet.



RITCH HAYS | KIRBY OSBORNE | MARTIN OWENS | DAVIS SMITH

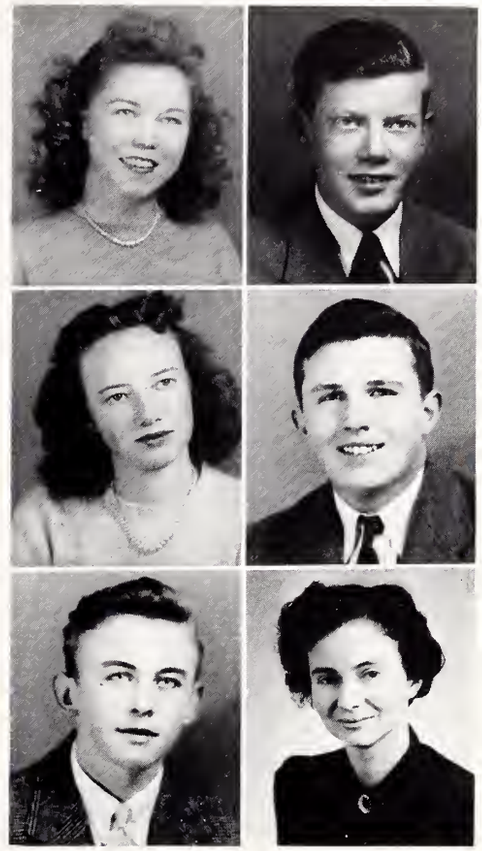
# VISUAL AIDS COMMITTEE

*First Row:* Peggy Nabors, secretary; Jim Allen, Walter Horton, co-chairmen; Frank Clarkson, C. G. Lawing, Doris Lawing, secretary.

*Second Row:* Ronald Liss, Ralph Jackson, Chairman; Bill Hendry, Herbert Middleton, Miss Margaret Bransford, adviser.

*Third row:* Glenn Smith; David Hays; Orion Hutchinson; Hal Harrill, co-chairman; Julian Hinson.

*Not Present:* Charles Pittman.



LAWING
NABORS
HORTON

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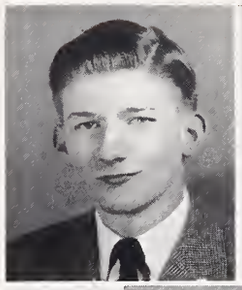
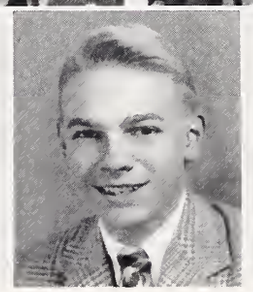
BRANSFORD

# BOOK STORE





ROBERT BROWN . . . . . *Manager*

MISS MARGARET DEVINNY . . . . . *Adviser*

MILES BOYER . . . . . *Assistant Manager*

# DRAMATICS CLUB

OFFICERS

*First Semester*

PAUL RITCH ..... *President*
PLUG OSBORNE ..... *Vice-President*
BABS HAMBY ..... *Secretary*
DOT PRESSER ..... *Treasurer*

*Second Semester*

BABS HAMBY ..... *President*
BOB ARANT ..... *Vice-President*
NANCY CLARK ..... *Secretary*
BARBARA LINDSAY ..... *Treasurer*

*First Row:* Jane Dellinger, Bobbie Jean Heglar, Catherine Sweatt, Frances Lomax, Jeanette Vogler, Laura Jean Culp, Shirley Foy, Ina Jean Phillips, Ann Carson.

*Second Row:* Ryrie Chesick, Wanda Oxner, Charlotte Fullbright, Susan Thompson, Jeanne Alexander, Mary Rose Bostick, Dorothy Graeber, Virginia Baughman, Nancy Clark, Babs Hamby.

*Third Row:* Jack McNeil, John Thrower, Plug Osborne, Paul Ritch, Don Trapp.

RITCH OSBORNE
HAMBY PRESSER
HAMBY ARANT
CLARK LINDSAY

# GIRLS' GOOD SPORTS CLUB

CHILDS — McHENRY
BARRET — HURT
FEHR — BARRENTINE
MASON — SHOEMAKER

*First Row*: Barbara Brown, Betsy Cromer, Mary Jo Archer, Joanne Shoemaker, Carolyn Forte, Barbara Fehr, Grace Marie Childs, Marilyn Mills, Wyndall Mason, Lucy Barret, Marilyn Biggers, Sara Pritchett, Lib Hutchinson, Janet Cushman.

*Second Row*: Betsy Roberts, Mary Ann Ashe, Gretchen Wyatt, Jane Rudisill, Jean Chaplin, Mary Street, Peggy Hull, Mary Clinton, Mott West, Julia McHenry, Hotsy Newman.

*Third Row*: Bobbie Ross, Jackie Roscoe, Anna Wolf, Letty Bond Slaughter, Jean Braswell, Doris Lawing, Mary Davis, Nancy Holder, Joanne Mathews, Deanie Berryhill, Ruth Porter.

*Fourth Row*: Convere Jones, Kitten Roberts, Susan Johnson, Sara Pharr, Harriet Bangle, Sally Carson, Peggy Barrentine, Mary Jane Hurt, Betty Choate, Shottie Bayne, Sara Conder, Snookie Driggers.

The Girls' Good Sports Club had one of its biggest years during 1945-46. The girls co-operated with the Athletic Department by selling tickets to the games and sponsoring the program sales at each game. During the Tuberculosis Seal Campaign, the club gave a program launching the drive and sponsored the sale at Central. This sale was the most successful Tuberculosis drive ever held at Central. The G. G. S. continued to co-operate with all school activities throughout the year.

## OFFICERS

*First Semester*

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|---|---|
| GRACE CHILDS | *President* |
| LUCY BARRET | *Vice-President* |
| BARBARA FEHR | *Secretary* |
| WYNDALL MASON | *Treasurer* |

*Second Semester*

| | |
|---|---|
| JULIA MCHENRY | *President* |
| MARY JANE HURT | *Vice-President* |
| PEGGY BARRENTINE | *Secretary* |
| JOANNE SHOEMAKER | *Treasurer* |
| MISS ELEANOR MARKHAM | *Adviser* |

# NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The members of the Central Chapter of the National Honor Society are chosen on a basis of scholarship, leadership, character, and citizenship. Fifteen per cent of each class is taken into the society.

Advisers: Miss Margaret Newland, Miss Oma Lafferty.

OLD MEMBERS

Margaret Bailey
Becky Jo Blankenship
Ella Fair Caldwell
Louise Conrad
Dorothy Davenport
Dorothy Graeber
Margaret Hinson
Sue McSpadden
Nell Neighbours
Jimmy Owens
Emma Lou Presley
Max Rittenbury
Jeanette Ruiter
Herbert Schwartz
Charlotte Van Buren
Jean Weinstein

NEW MEMBERS

Mary Jo Archer
Mary Anne Ashe
Erleen Bedsol
Joe Bookout
Doris Bouterse
Pauline Bridger
Hal Brockmann
Doris Brown
Robert Brown
Doris Crane
Laura Culp
Janet Cushman
Jack Davis
Marie Dawson
Sally Di Gregario
Pat Gary
Betty Jane Greene
Nancy Greenlee
Carolyn Griffin
Mary Mincey Harkey
Carolyn Hayden
Will Hon
Barbara Hopkins
Jane Horne
David Ivey
Ralph Jackson
Jack Killheffer
Eleanor Marshall
Melvin Podel
Sara Reed
Jenny Lee Sommers
Mildred Ann Wilson

*First Row*: Culp, McSpadden, Brown, Killheffer, Owens, Bailey, Davis, Di Gregario, Neighbours, Cushman. *Second Row*: Greene, Weinstein, Griffin, Van Buren, Graeber, Wilson, Presley, Caldwell, Dawson, Ashe, Archer. *Third Row*: Bridger, Conrad, Hayden, Hopkins, Hinson, Blankenship, Bouterse, Reid, Gary, Sommers. *Fourth Row*: Schwartz, Podel, Brockman, Ivey, Hon, Bookout, Brown, Jackson.

# S. O. L. BIBLE CLUB

Under the capable guidance of Miss Janet Robinson, the Bible Club has had a very successful year. It has carried out its work through various committees, which were under the following headings: Colored Mission, Chapel of Hope, Rose, Crittenton Home, Tuberculosis Sanatorium, County Home, Good Samaritan Hospital, Token, Social, Music, Scrapbook, and Program. These committees carried out the club's purpose, "To Serve Others Loyally."

The officers for the first semester were LaVerne Austin, president; Betty Lee, vice-president; Sara Whitesides, secretary; Louise Conrad, treasurer. After the girls' and boys' clubs combined, three of the officers of the new club came from the girls' group. They were the vice-president, LaVerne Austin; the secretary, Ruth Nance; and the treasurer, Louise Conrad.

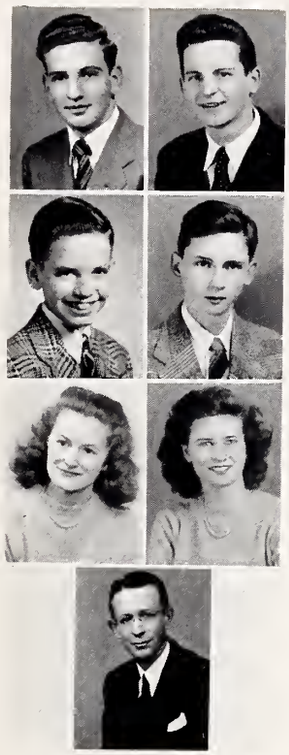
*First Row:* Ruth Swaringer, Jean Beatty, Martha Beam, Myra Lawing, Mary Klaas, Louise Conrad, LaVerne Austin, Betty Lee, Sara Whitesides, Lita Mauldin, Imogene Phillips, Alice Baucom, Ruth Nance, Betty Neighbours, Delores Todd.

*Second Row:* Doris Bouterse, Jane Horne, Ann Sarratt, Dot Hallenbeck, Nancy Moore, Mary Bates, Mary Ann Morris, Frances Johnson, Helen Branner, Jo Sloan, Katherine Flake, Carolyn Faucett, Ella Fair Caldwell, Nell Neighbours.

*Third Row:* Louise Bigham, Carolyn Howard, Charlotte Fulbright, Sara Reid, Carolyn Savage, Elizabeth Phifer, Helen Ramsey, Sara McGinn, Doris Brown, Sara Adams, Ann Wellons, Catherine Schiff, Jennie Mason, Mary Mincey Harkey.

*Fourth Row:* Doris Lawing, Frances Lomax, Ryree Chesick, Eleanor Copley, June Carter, Joyce Cannon, Sara Pharr, Doris Tant, Erlene Bedsol, Sue McSpadden, Margaret Bailey, Susie Bigham, Thelma Moore, Jeanne Alexander, Miss Janet Robinson.

Austin Lee
Whitesides Conrad
Hutchinson Austin
Robinson



Tyson Langford
Thorne Keever
Nance Conrad
Brendall

# BOYS' BIBLE CLUB

Under the able leadership of Reverend Earl H. Brendall, the Boys' Bible Club has increased in membership and in interest during the past year. The first semester officers were Joe Tyson, president; Tommy Langford, vice-president; Sam Thorne, secretary; Bobby Keever, treasurer. It has supported financially the Interdemoninational Council of Mecklenburg County. Many interesting programs have been held; among the outstanding speakers were several ministers from Charlotte's churches.

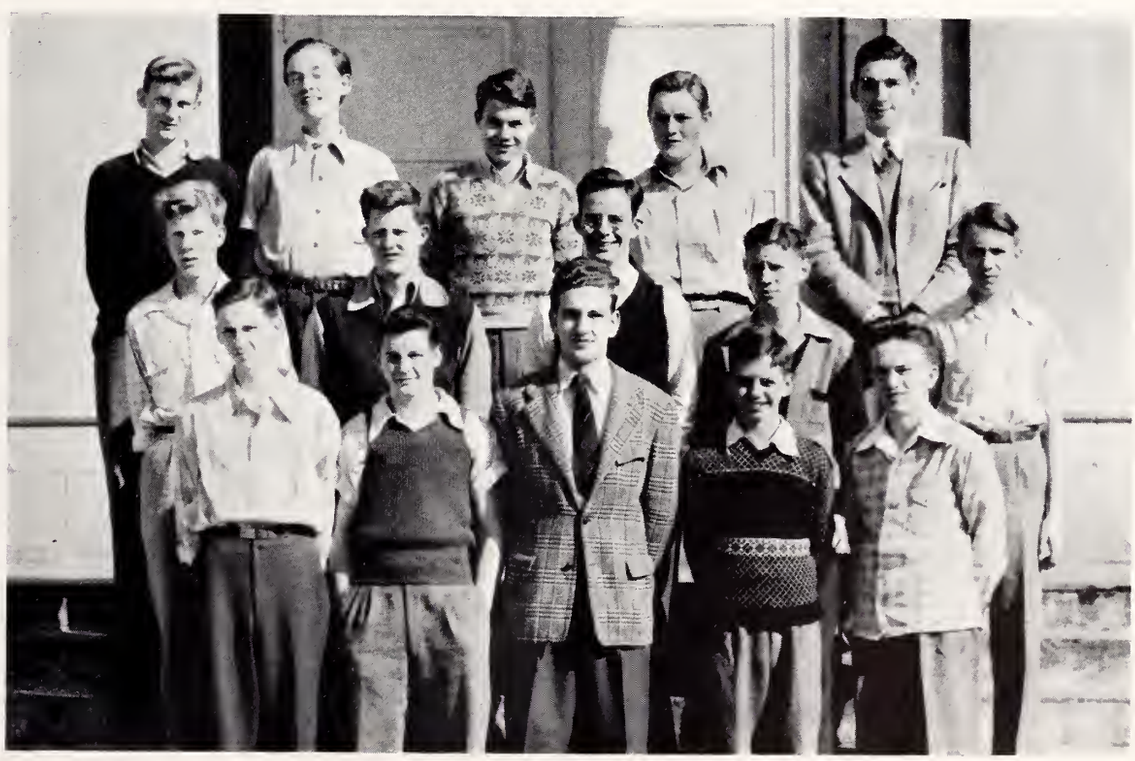
At the beginning of the second semester, the boys' club united with the girls.' Together the clubs did many things in the interest of other people. Also they held several social gatherings. For the second semester Orion Hutchinson from the boys' club was the president of the combined clubs. Altogether the boys' club had a very successful year.

*First Row:* Bobby Keever, Tommy Langford, Joe Tyson, Sam Thorne, Charles Greene.

*Second Row:* Joe Ervin, Murray Long, Jack Davis, Bill Boyst, Gene Little.

*Third Row:* Charles Pressley, David Hays, Bobby Goodwin, David Cornegay, Orion Hutchinson.

*Absent when picture was made:* Dick Tiddy, Charles Pittman, Charles Kiser, Eugene Rucker, Sid McAden.



# LOS CONQUISTADORES

*First Row:* Marjorie Delk, Wilma Horne, Margaret Hobbs, Dena Karres, Barbara Fehr, Peggy Barrentine, treasurer, 1st semester; Ines Urdaneta, president, 1st semester; Charlotte Van Buren, Nell Neighbours.

*Second Row:* Ella Fair Caldwell, vice-president, 2nd semester; Margaret Bailey, treasurer, 2nd semester; Jane Holtzclaw, Margaret Hinson, Dot Brown, Frances Shiver, Betty Brown, Jeannette Vogler.

*Third Row:* Jack Burney, Betty Jean Sanders, Becky Blankenship, secretary, 1st semester; Mary Mincey Harkey, Diana Humber, secretary, 2nd semester; Eleanor Marshall.

*Not in picture*: Grady McAuley, president, 2nd semester; Carolyn Hayden, vice-president, 1st semester.

*First Row:* Joan Cansler, Virginia Snyder, Jane Elder, Charlene Scholl, Mary McCall Whitaker, Eleanor Orr, Joan Caudle.

*Second Row:* Lois Cash, Eleanor Robinson, secretary; Emily Ranson, Cecile Thompson, Elora Carriker, Dot Johnston, Margaret Burke.

*Third Row:* June Keith, Frances Frizzell, Alice Reynolds, Ruth Hatch, Becky Woodard, Nancy Clark, Miss Bransford, adviser.

*Fourth Row:* Ruth Griffin, vice-president; Frank Helms, treasurer, Tommy Faucette, Joe Miller, John Weeks, Miles Boyer, Jean Cruse.

*Not in Picture:* Betty Jane Young, president, Earl Crowe, Frances Cumnock, Barbara Killheffer, Ann Wellons.

# LES DEBUTANTS

It's a real pleasure reviewing you. I hope you have success & lots of good luck.

# LE CERCLE FRANCAIS

*First Row:* Nancy Jane Blanton, Marjorie Delk, president, 1st semester; Anna Wolf, Editor of L' Etoile, 2nd semester.

*Second Row:* Betty Jane Miller, Betty Ann Earnhardt, vice-president, 2nd semester; Betsy Cromer, vice-president, 1st semester; Dot Graeber, secretary and treasurer, 1st semester; Doris Brown.

*Third Row:* Juanita Hubbard, Bobby Keever, Editor of L'Etoile, 1st semester; Miss Allen, adviser; Mary Kate Newell, Betty Higdon, secretary and treasurer, 2nd semester.

*Not in Picture:* June Fleenor, president, 2nd semester; Dorothy Kimble.

# LA VOIX de FRANCE

*First Row:* Sally Carson, secretary; Macy Ross, Joanne Matthews, Miss Bransford, adviser.

*Second Row:* Ryree Chesick, Katherine Flake, Mary Anne Stilwell, Betty Rae Sandifer, Wanda Oxner, president; Marie Dawson.

*Third Row:* Bobby Wright, vice-president; Fred Glover, Jack McLaney, Nelson Adams, treasurer.

*Not in Picture:* Buddy Harris, Sophie Mamalis, Ed Hackney, Dot Putman, Mickey Bradley.

# DER DEUTSCHE VEREIN

*First Row:* Jackie Roscoe, Hugh Puckett, Jimmy Stallings, secretary-treasurer, 2nd semester.

*Second Row:* Bobby Kirby, vice-president, 1st semester; Lucian Kasselik, Dennis Washburn, Vic Goeller, secretary-treasurer, 1st semester, president, 2nd semester.

*Third Row:* Max Rittenbury, president, 1st semester, vice-president, 2nd semester; Miss Virginia Allen, Tommy Faucette.

*Not in Picture:* Beverly Hannon.

*First Row:* Joan Cansler, secretary, 1st semester; Annabelle Jarrell, Nell Neighbors, vice-president 2nd semester; Joan Cook, Phyllis Galphen.

*Second Row:* Peggy Fox, Eleanor Robinson, Jeanne Alexander, Mamie Kirkpatrick, Barbara Hopkins, president, 2nd semester; Jennie Lee Sommers, vice-president, 1st semester.

*Third Row:* Betty Biter, Jo Sloan, Phyllis Gilliam, Patsy Weller, Paula Ballew, Virginia Brown.

*Fourth Row:* Jane Holtzclaw, Alice Reynolds, Herbert Schwartz, treasurer, 1st semester; Joe Tyson, president, 1st semester; Chris Folk, Mary Street, treasurer, 2nd semester; Mary Alice Chambers, secretary, 2nd semester.

# INTER NOS—(Just Among Ourselves)

# CAMERA CLUB

*First Row:* Wylie Smith, Betty Schoneck, president; Jimmy Mills, Betty Jean Sanders.

*Second Row:* Jimmy Bolton, Bettye Hinson, secretary-treasurer; Miss M. E. Morgan, Thelma Moore, vice-president.

*Third Row:* Charles Pressley, Johnny Surratt, Chuck Kirby.

# HORNET'S NEST HISTORY CLUB

*First Row:* LaVera Hartnett, Jackie Boger, secretary, 1st semester; Doris Brown, president, 1st semester; Margaret Bailey, vice-president, 1st semester, president, 2nd semester; Katherine Flake, secretary, 2nd semester.

*Second Row:* Philip Burkhalter, Miss Fore, Martha Henderson, Thelma Moore, Ella Fair Caldwell, Sue McSpadden, Bobby Boyce.

*Third Row:* Harry Spillman, vice-president, 2nd semester; Hal Brockmann, Sidney Wanzer, Ruffin Smith, Bobby Noreen, treasurer, 2nd semester; Dick Hinson, treasurer, 1st semester.

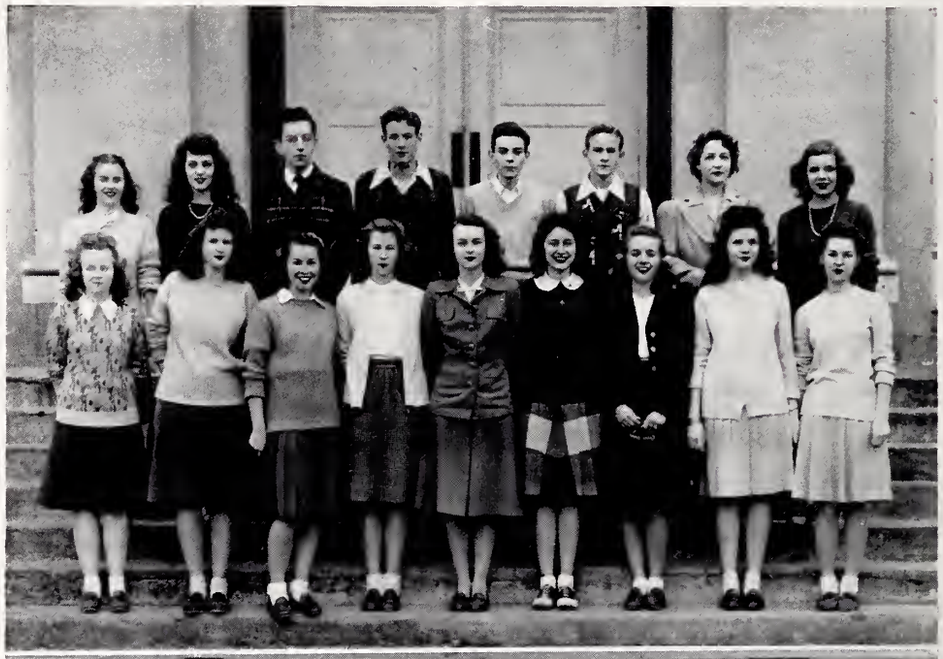
*Absent from Picture:* Nancy Cheatham, Pat Gary, Georgianna Gettinger, Ed Hackney, Virginia Snyder.

# MAIN OFFICE STAFF

*First Row:* Gloria Hurtt, Harriet Lander, Catherine Schiff, Harriet Bangle, Miss Dorothy Puckett, secretary to principal; Mary Jane Hurt, Marilyn Biggers, Betty Jo Byrum, Betty Lou Bittle.

*Second Row:* Evelyn Armstrong, Erleen Bedsol, Jim Simpson, Bill Massey, Wylie Smith, Jack Gunn, Mrs. Shuford Peeler, secretary of records; Dot Graeber.

*Not Present:* Sylvia Rose and Susan Johnson.



*First Row:* Joanne Shoemaker, 3rd period; Evalyne Stone, 2nd period; Jerry Polk, 1st period.

*Second Row:* Jeweldine Brown, 6th period; Barbara Murphy, 5th period; Ethel Harton, 4th period.

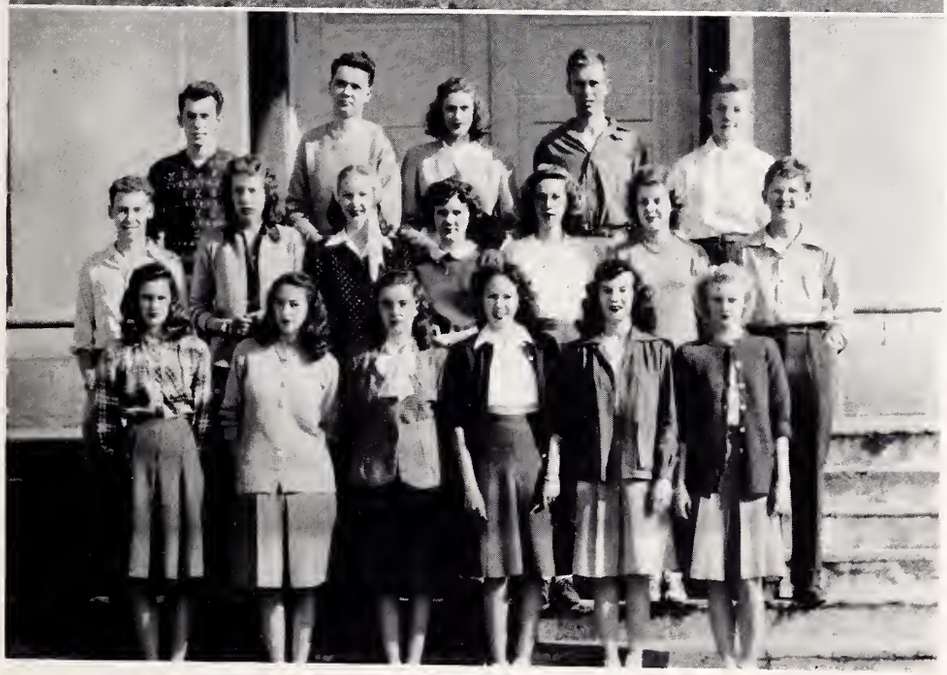
# MISS FRASER'S OFFICE

# DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION CLUB

*First Row:* Miss Etheridge, Betty Sherrill, Rosa Lee Westmoreland, Ann Sisson, president 2nd semester; Dorothy Brotherton, Ruth Ferguson, Doris McNeeley, Betty Lou Marks, Betty Jean Thomas.

*Second Row:* Harold Smith, president, 1st semester; vice-president 2nd semester; James Mills, Jack Caneclides, secretary 2nd semester; Ruth Harrison, Betty Davis, Bobbie Jean Mackorell, Jack Hartis, Tom Hollingsworth, David Miller, secretary 1st semester.

*Third Row:* Huston Bush, Marshall Herrin, treasurer, 2nd semester; William Christenbury, Milton Phillips, vice-president, 1st semester; B. F. Deese, treasurer, 1st semester; Jack Lindsay, Earl Williams.



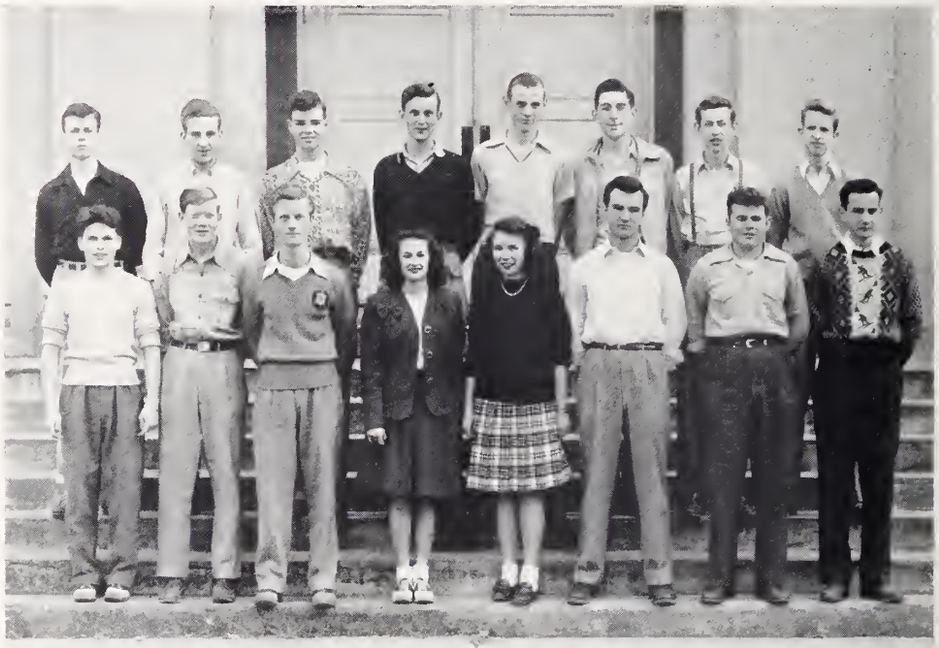
# SKETCH CLUB

*First Row:* Gloria McWhirter, Jean Weinstein, 1st semeser treasurer; Betty Jean Lawing, 2nd semester treasurer; Anne Wellons, 2nd semester vice-president; Alice Stirewalt, Claire Rudisell.

*Second Row:* Herbert Schwartz, Louise Agnew, Hilda Marston, Helen Ramsey, 1st semester secretary; Mildred Wilson, 2nd semester secretary; Danny Kate Smith, 1st and 2nd semester president; Jack Lawing.

*Third Row:* Bobby Arant, Tommy Davis, Miss Kerchner, Will Hon, Don Cobb, 1st semester vice-president.

# TICKETS and OPERATIONS COMMITTEE



*First Row:* Tommy Calhoun, Ralph Jackson, Jack Burney, co-chairman; Ruth Nance, Betty Lee, Ned Burgess, Gene Hill, Bill Hendry, co-chairman.

*Second Row:* Frank Millians, Joe Tyson, co-chairman; Marshall Whisnant, Charles Pressley, Edwin Belch, Orion Hutchinson, Billy Rogers, Bill White.

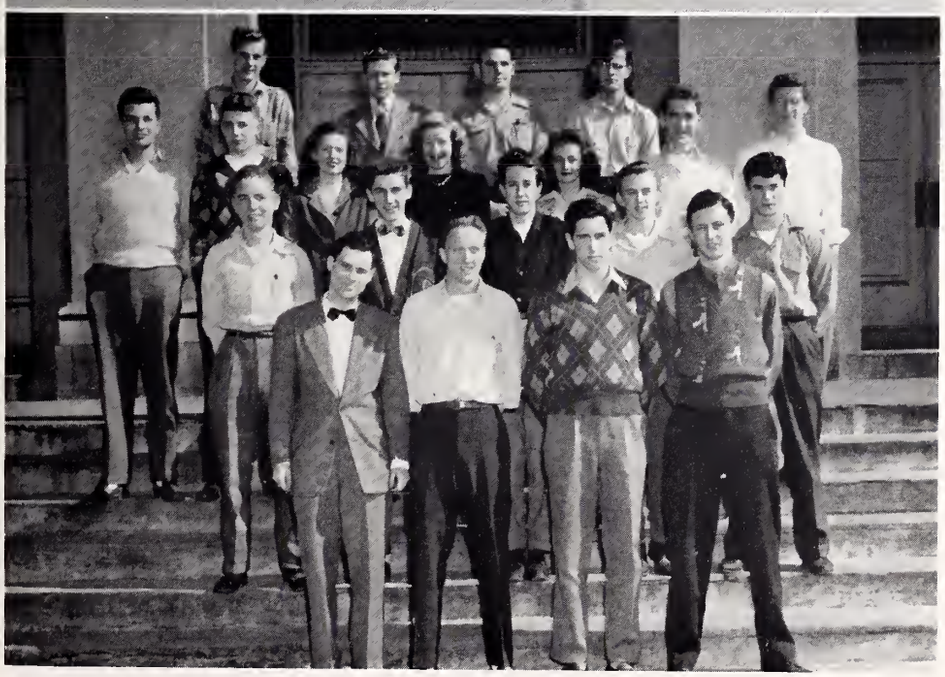
*First Row:* Maurice Stubbs, George Morgan, Ronald Liss.

*Second Row:* Nathan Tucker, Charles Pittman, Noel MacKay, Kinkaid Wilson.

# FIRE DRILL COMMITTEE

# CHEMISTRY ASSISTANTS

David Hays, Nancy Clark, Nancy Jane Blanton, Joe Bookout.



*First Row:* Ronald Liss, co-chairman 1st semester; Bob Foster, co-chairman 2nd semester; Bill Fowler, co-chairman 2nd semester; George Morgan, co-chairman 1st semester.

*Second Row:* Noel McKay, Tommy Edmonds, Jimmy Bolton, Walter Horton, Buddy Bell.

*Third Row:* C. P. Deal, Malcolm McLean, Mary Ann Stilwell, Pat Lankford, Jackie Coffey, Ham Wade, Bob Morrow.

*Fourth Row:* Charles Pressley, Charles Pittman, Gene Troutman, Kinkaid Wilson.

*Not Present When Picture Was Made:* Maurice Stubbs, co-chairman 1st semester; Donald Melson, John Bennett, Elbert Nye, Emma Lou Presley, C. S. Lawing, Jimmy Purser, Nathan Tucker, Ralph Johnston.

# TRAFFIC COMMITTEE

# HI-Y

*First Row:* Bobby Wilkinson, Charles Watterson, Bobby Boyce, treasurer; Bob Parrish, president; Henry Duls, Curtis Covington, Bryson Irvin.

*Second Row:* Tom Smith, Carl Williamson, Jimmy Mills, Charlie Duls, secretary; Bill Kenyon, Kennett Smith, Oren Muse, Joe Ervin, vice-president; Wilbur Blanton.

*Third Row:* Hubert Ford, Calvin Brice, Hugh Johnson, Karl Hill, Banner Smith, Jerry Harris, Louis Linker, Tommy Waggoner, Mac Lupo.

# GIRL RESERVES

*First Row:* Vera Whiteside, Jane Dellinger, Bobby McManus, Doris Tant, vice-president; Doris Lawing, president; Anne Sarratt, treasurer; Jean Wingate, student assembly representative; Jackie Coffey, secretary; Jo Ellen Sarratt, La Vera Hartnett.

*Second Row:* Joyce Cannon, Mary Ann Stilwell, Betty Ray, Dessie Broadwell, Wilma Horne, Lib Brown, Ryree Chesick, Sara Claire Little, Anne Wellons.

*Third Row:* Margarett Hobbs, Pat Atkinson, Pat Godfrey, Ruth Keith, Delores Ruschanberg, Marie Harkey, Peggy Nabors, Thelma Moore, Sara Reed.

*Fourth Row:* Virginia Baughman, Betty Lee, Margy Hollows, Jean Tucker, Mrs. C. Henderson, adviser; Peggy Black, Kitty Morris, Diana Humber.

# SHORTHAND CLUB

*First Row:* Peggy Black, Jean Tucker, Johnsie Lee Payne, Joanne Foard, Frances Johnson, Ophelia Bass.

*Second Row:* Mary Sistrunk, Evelyn Armstrong, Frances McCorkle, Mary Anne Morris, Eugene Lee, Mary Bates, Erleen Bedsol, Peggy Stowe.

*Third Row:* Elizabeth Sides, Carolyn Kimball, Gloria DeBerry, Toby Lott, Dot Dowling, Elizabeth Sellers.

*Fourth Row:* Betty Bittle, Jeweldine Brown, Gloria Hurtt.

*Not in Picture:* Betty Jo Byrum, Betty Jean Pruette, Bobbie Mills, Jean Propst, Ann Sisson, Betty Sherrill, Sally Di Gregario.

# THE SCRATCH CLUB

*First Row:* Bettye Cullingford, Carolyn Hall, Martha Beam, Martha Thomas, Betty Lee, Jane Dellinger, Vera Whiteside, Peggy Carnes, Joyce Brooks.

*Second Row:* Carolyn Grubbs, Barbara Mims, Alice House, Cecile Thompson, Virginia Smith, Carolyn Hood, Christine McCullough, Libby Propst.

*Third Row:* Elaine Hall, Elizabeth Phifer, Shirley Carroll, Betty Spong, Frieda Davis, Grace Ashe, Clara Seabrook, Marion Christopher, Carolyn Finlayson.

*Not present when picture was made:* Doris Cryer, Doris Bouterse, Mary Louise Haar, Lorraine Murphy, Betty June Lofland, Betty Bryant, Barbara Killheffer.

# MUSIC AT CENTRAL

MR. ROBERT C. SMITH
*Director of Music*

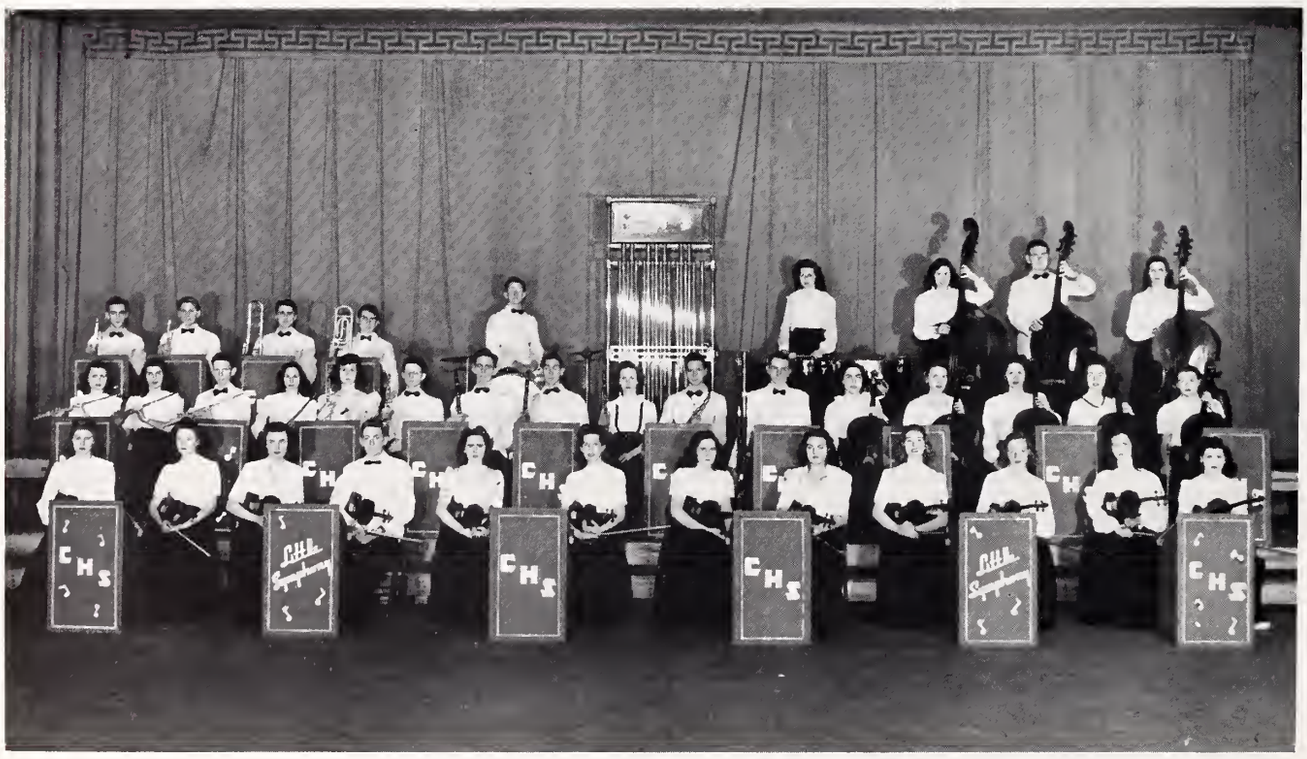
## ORCHESTRA

*First Row:* Mary Anne Ashe, Nancy Greenlee, Eleanor Marshall, Sidney Wanzer, Virginia Snyder, Emilie Robinson, Barbara Shaw, Patricia Godfrey, Elizabeth Brown, Mary Lou Hanson, Ella Fair Caldwell, Katherine Lurton.

*Second Row:* Doris Ann Bradley, Dena Karres, Bill Boyst, Nancy Dell Rogers, Pat Gary, Bill Boyce, Jack Davis, Jack Parker, Jeannine Gregory, Robey Howard, Clarence Harrison, Mary Alice Pappas, Sara Pharr, Carolyn Smith, treasurer; Bettye Hinson, Lelia Shore.

*Third Row:* Bill Hodges, president; Bill Harding, vice-president; Bob Lindsey, Jim Bennett, Chuck Kirby, Jo Elaine Webb, secretary; Joe Ann Ellis, Gene Troutman, Beth Bracken.

*Absent When Picture Taken:* June Keith.



# GLEE CLUB

*First Row:* Harriett Ann Straw, Buena Lee Hunter, Magdalene Braswell, Peggy Jane Deaton, Betty Jeanne Stover, Barbara Jean Lindsay, Margaret Womack, Joan Weinmann, Peggy Smith.

*Second Row:* Marie Dawson, Betsy Smith, Martha Beam, Mary Ann Robinson, Barbara Deming, Jane Shaw, Lita Mauldin, Irvina Allen, Betty Gettys, Bobbie Lazenby.

*Not In Picture:* Betty Marks, Beverly Hannon.

# CHOIR

*First Row*: Nancy Price, Peggy Wood, Mary Kathrine Roberts, treasurer; Betty Lee, vice-president; Kate McKelway, Caryl McBride, Virginia Simpson, Maybeth Hunter, Sylvia Rose, Peggy Whitehead, Dorothy Johnson, Faye Shaw, secretary; Joanne Foard, Doris Crane, Jeanine Powell, Georgianne Gettinger, Sophie Mamalis, Dorla D. Stephens, Carolyn Garner, Betty Jean Fruette, Joy Phillips.

*Second Row*: Betty Jean McSwain, Betty Stephenson, Marie Dawson, Sara Katherine Adams, Nell Neighbours, Ina Jean Phillips, Becky Woodard, Patsy Fesperman, Agnes Austin, Carolyn Savage, Pat Gary, Martha Jane Henderson, Martha Ellen Allen, Nancy Carroll, Betty Neighbours, Berenice McManus, Martha Thies, Katherine Todd, Helena Hunter, Gloria Alderman, Joyce Fite, Helen Branner.

*Third Row*: Barbara Padgett, Mary Klaas, Jimmy White, David Ivey, president; John Thrower, Bill Austin, Johnny Surratt, Don Trapp, Jack McNeil, David Yandle, Parks McClure, Edwin Belch, Louis Osbourne, Bill Rodgers, Marshall Shepard, Oliver Beard, Willard Allred, Nathan Tucker, Martha Smith, Marie Harris, Delores Norman, Libby Sides.

*Not in Picture*: Grace Marie Childs, Frances Cumnock, Jack Burney.

*Director*: Mr. Smith. *At the piano*: Carolyn Kimball.

# BAND

*First Row:* Shirley Davis, secretary; Jack Davis, Jack Parker, Toby Lott, Dick Hinson, Blaine Kelley, Harry Spillman, Vic Goeller, Alfred Moore, Ned Culp, Dale Arthur, Brice McLaughlin, Sheila Gottlieb, Jackie Camp, Spencer Thornton, Joe Tyson, Grace Coutras, Thalia Pappas, Josephine Snyder, Dorothea Alice Kimble, Betty Bittle, Claire Rudisell.

*Second Row:* Donna Hendrickson, Bill Hodges, president; Jimmy Dooley, George Murr, treasurer; Lonnie Sides, Johnny Surratt, Nelson Adams, Roy Johnston, Grayson Goode, Richard Satterfield, Joan Caudle, Doris Bouterse, Margy Hollows, Delores Ivey, Charles Pressley, Mary Alice Pappas, Ruth Hatch, Carolyn Stroupe, Knox Price, Robey Howard, Bobbie Ross.

*Third Row:* Jimmy Stikeleather, Ruffin Smith, Jimmy Beaver, Robert McEwen, Sonny Baker, Thomas Rollins, Richard Thornton, Louis Elam, Frank Longino, Perry Daniels, Jim Bennett, Dewey Sheron, Douglas Nash, Bill Patterson, Reagan Rowe, Bob Lindsay, Dave Dorton.

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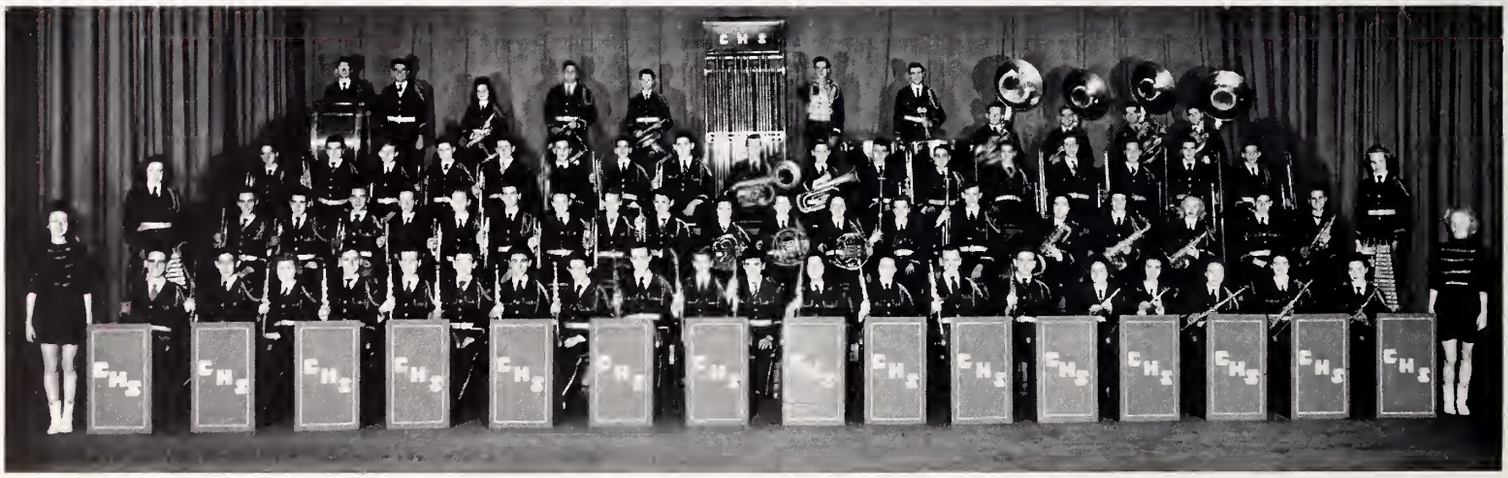

CLAIRE RUDISELL . . . . . *Majorette*

RICHARD BROOKS . . . . . *Drum Major*

SHIRLEY DAVIS . . . . . *Majorette*

BOBBIE JEAN MACKORELL
*Majorette*

*Peggy Barrentine*

*Cecilia Covington*

*Grace Childs*

# Selected by the Student Body of BEAU

*Wyndall Mason*

*Nancy Cheatham*

*Jane Rudisill*

*Betsy Roberts*

*Peggy Fox*

*Barbara Febr*

# TIES

## Central High School - - - 1946

*Sally Carson*

*Nancy Holder*

*Joanne Shoemaker*

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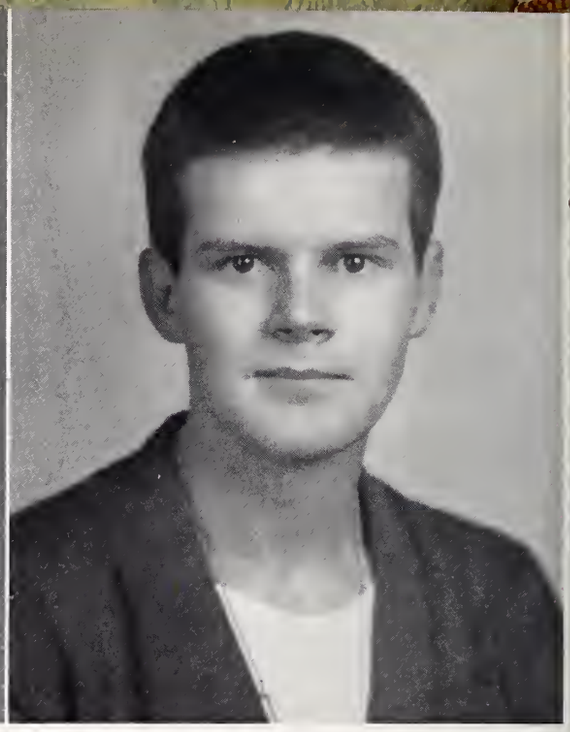
MRS. H. S. FOSTER for Bob Foster, Vice-President of Student Council, First Semester.



MR. GEORGE GRIFFIN for Doris Lawing, Vice-President of Student Council, Second Semester.

# SPON

## Central High School

MRS. L. A. BELL for Buddy Bell, Treasurer of Student Council, Second Semester.

MRS. A. R. MORROW for Bobby Morrow, President of Senior Class First Semester.

MRS. G. J. BURNEY for Jack Burney, President of Senior Class, Second Semester.

MISS RUTH NANCE for Nelson Adams, Secretary of Student Council, First Semester.

MRS. A. R. BOOKOUT for Joe Bookout, Secretary of Student Council, Second Semester.

MRS. W. E. MASSEY for Bill Massey, Treasurer of Student Council, First Semester.

# SORS

## Nineteen Forty-six

MRS. O. N. BURGESS for Ned Burgess, Vice-President of Senior Class, First Semester.

MRS. M. W. WHITE for Mack White, Vice-President of Senior Class, Second Semester.

MRS. C. H. AHERN for Donald Ahern, Secretary of Senior Class, First Semester.

MRS. G. G. CROMER for Betsy Cromer, Secretary of Senior Class, Second Semester.

MISS DORIS LAWING for George Griffin, Treasurer of Senior Class, First Semester.

MRS. I. M. WHISNANT for Marshall Whisnant, Treasurer of Senior Class, Second Semester.

# SPON

## Central High School

MISS JANE RUDISELL for Leland Helms, Vice-President of Junior Class, Second Semester.

MISS JACKIE BOGER for Alice Sisson, Secretary of Junior Class, First Semester.

MISS GAIL CHRISTOPHER for Marion Christopher, Secretary of Junior Class, Second Semester.

MR. R. L. HOLDER for Nancy Holder, President of Junior Class, First Semester.

MRS. G. G. ADAMS for Nelson Adams, President of Junior Class, Second Semester.

MR. JOHN TIDDY for Dick Tiddy, Vice-President of Junior Class, First Semester.

# SORS

## Nineteen Forty-six

MISS MARTHA ELLEN ALLEN for Johnny Jones, Treasurer of Junior Class, First Semester.

MRS. CARRIE MAIE LANDES for Ham Wade, President of Sophomore Class Second Semester.

MRS. HOKE BULLARD for Betty Moore Bullard, Vice-President of Sophomore Class, First Semester.

MRS. M. W. WHITE for Bill White, Secretary of Sophomore Class, First Semester.

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MRS. W. R. BUTCHER for Carolyn Butcher, Treasurer of Sophomore Class, First Semester.

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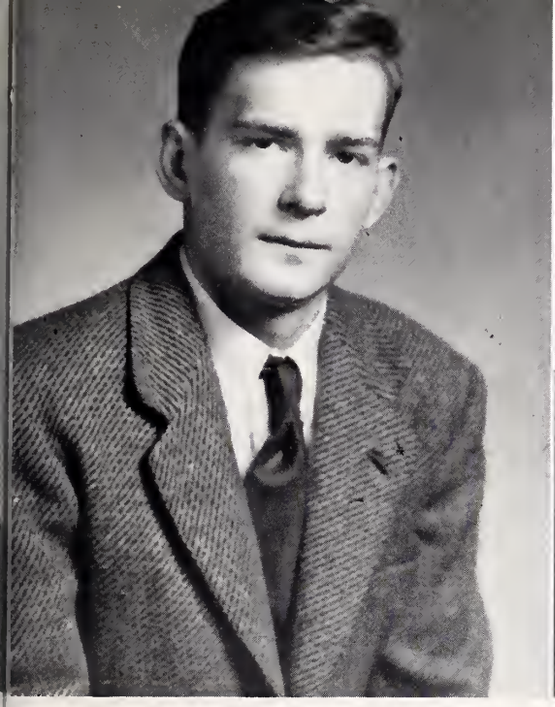
MISS BARBARA LINKER for Janet Linker, Treasurer of Sophomore Class, Second Semester.

MISS BEVERLY COLE for Ronald Green, Business Manager of Rambler.

JOHN CHAPMAN for Bob Chapman, Captain of Football Team.



RICHARD SANDERS for Joe Ann Ellis, Music Editor of SNIPS AND CUTS.

GENE GRAHAM for Joanne Shoemaker, Assistant Feature Editor of SNIPS AND CUTS.

STAFF SARGENT GENE GRAEBER for Dorothy Graeber, Senior Photo Editor of SNIPS AND CUTS.

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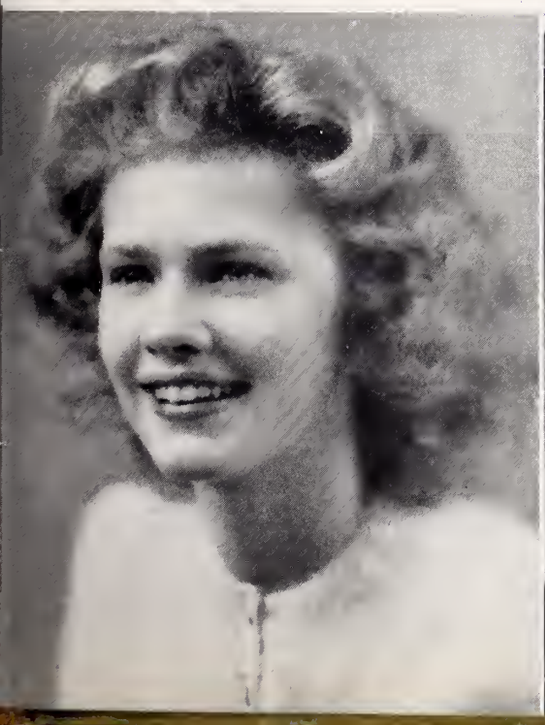


MR. WENDELL E. ROBERTS for Betsy Roberts, Head Cheerleader.

MRS. H. B. WOLF for Anna Wolf, Sponsor Editor of SNIPS AND CUTS.

"Mimo," we've really had one gay time as "sophs" and juniors! Let's make a bang-up time as seniors! Lots of love, Pat

*Business Manager's Favorite*

## *Miss Patricia Hicks*

*Business Manager's Mother*

## *Mrs. J. W. Owens*

*Editor's Favorite*

## *Miss Betty Johnson*

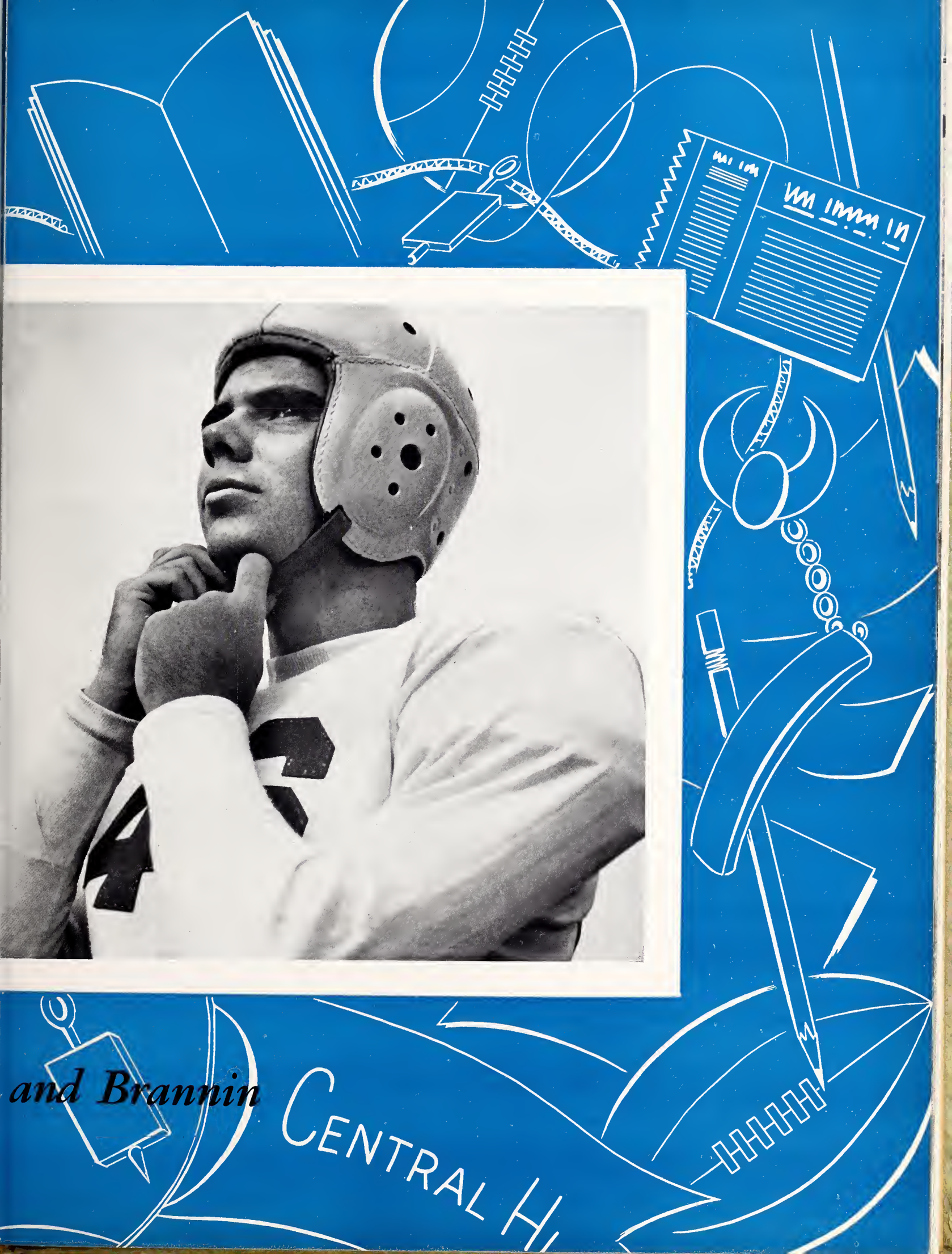
*Editor's Foster Father*

## *Dr. T. D. Sparrow*

Book Three

# ATHLETICS

*Brawn, Brains*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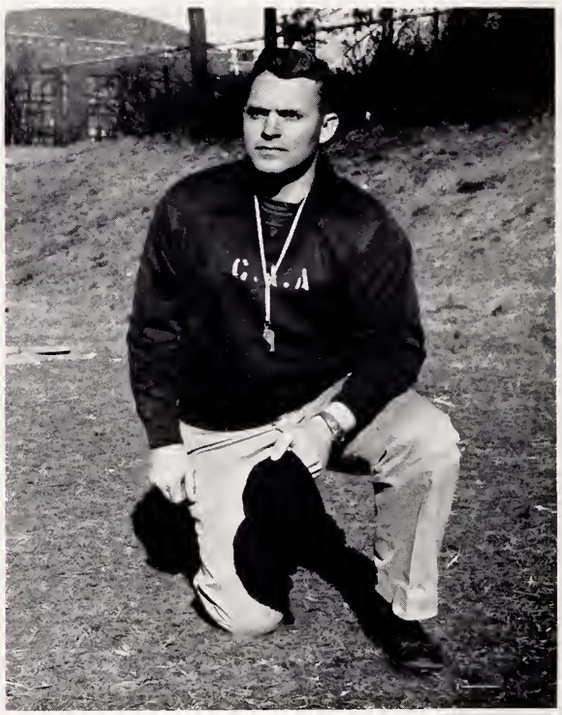
# WILDCATS

Mr. W. D. Brannin
*Head Coach*



Mr. Carroll Hambright
*Assistant Coach*

Orion Hutchinson
*Student Manager*

# OF 1946

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|---|---|
| BOB CHAPMAN | *Captain* |
| BUDDY BELL | *Co-Captain* |
| JIMMY LUTHER | *Head Manager* |

*First Row*: Bob Davis, Buddy Bell, Bob Foster, Leland Helms, Phil Davis, Dick Foster, Andy Neel, James Mock, Tommy Edmonds, Donald Elmore, Ham Wade, Spike Cofer.

*Second Row*: Buck Blankenship, Duck Holder, Bob Chapman, Hillard Knight, Harry Haar, Pete DeWitt, Bob Morrow, Donald Ahern.

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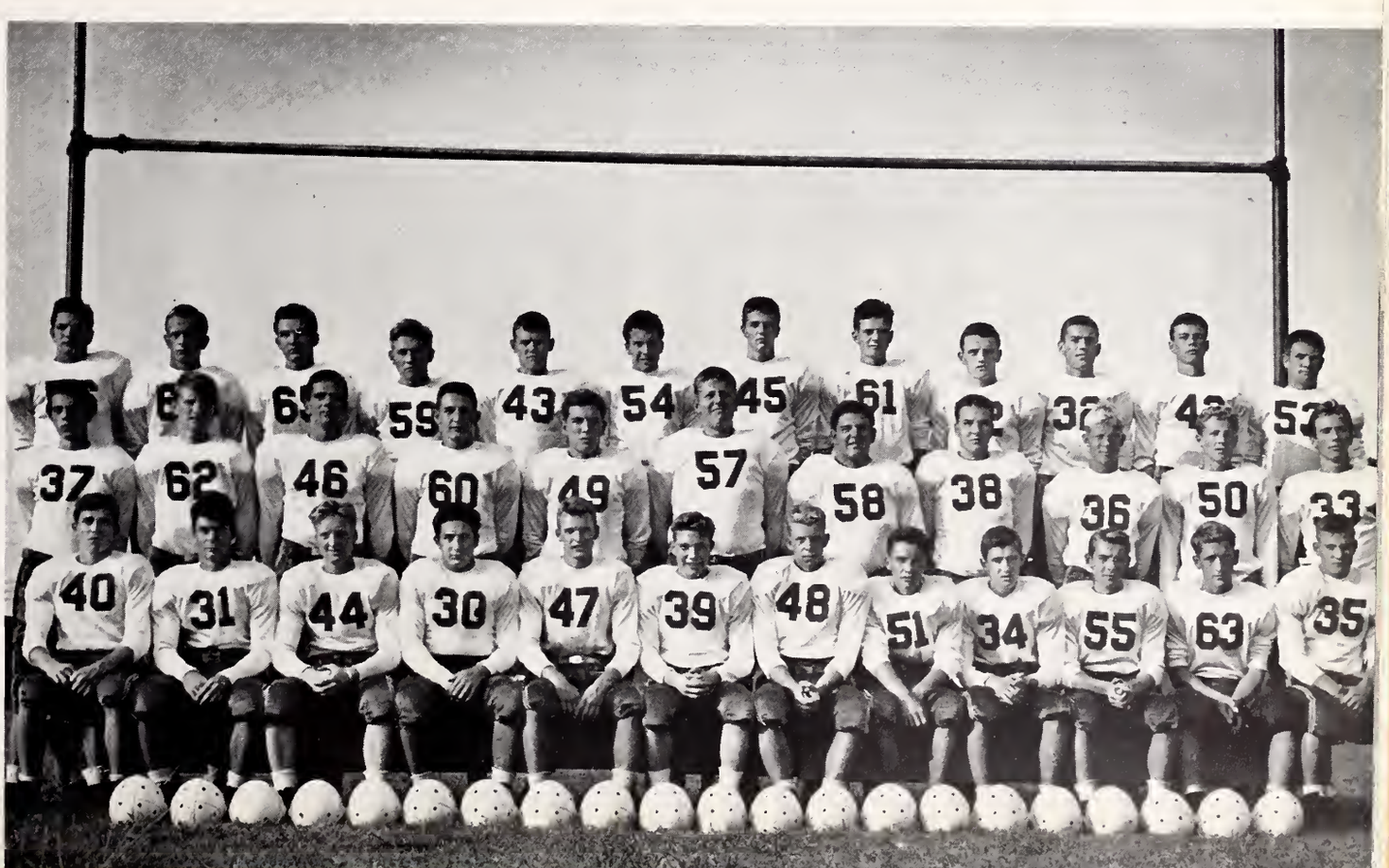


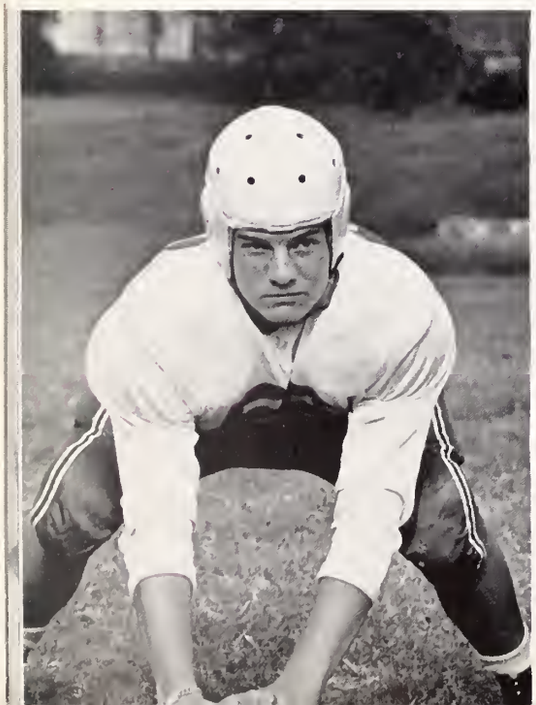
# FOOTBALL RESULTS—1945

### Central 32, Hanes 0

Central High's Wildcats opened their 1945 season in a blaze of glory by completely bowling over an outclassed Hanes High outfit from Winston-Salem. Spike Cofer and Leland Helms, the two leg-churning fullbacks, were the big noise in the 'Cat scoring column, while Buddy Bell displayed his potential All-State power with beautiful jaunts up and down the field. Coach Bill Brannin's Big Blue was deep in Hanes territory when a drenching downpour put a stop to the hostilities eight minutes short.

### Atlanta Tech 14, Central 7

Despite a terrific battle put up by Central, a brilliant Atlanta Tech aggregation proved just a little more than the yet green Wildcats could handle and handed the Centrals



*Identification Clock-wise*

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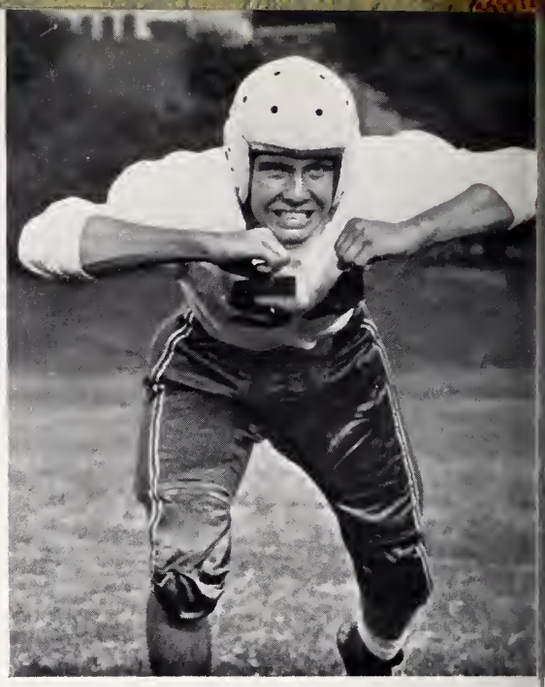
| BETSY ROBERTS | *Cheerleader* |
| BILL DURHAM | *Tackle* |
| FRANK COUVILLON | *Tackle* |
| HARRY HARR | *Tackle* |
| DAVID IVEY | *Guard* |
| BOB CHAPMAN | *End* |
| LANE CLOANINGER | *Center* |
| DICK TIDDY | *Tackle* |
| LEON KENDRICKS | *Center* |
| BUCK BLANKENSHIP | *End* |
| JAMES MOCK | *Back* |
| JANET CUSHMAN | *Cheerleader* |
| BARBARA FEHR | *Cheerleader* |

their first defeat of the young season, 14-7, before some 10,000 fans at Memorial stadium. Leland Helms, who was soon to lead the Western Conference in total points scored, was the only Wildcat able to bull one across the powerful Tech line. He also converted for the point. Helms had been promoted to the starting backfield when Cofer was shelved by academic difficulties.

### GREENSBORO 18, CENTRAL 6

A determined and surprisingly offensive Greensboro eleven branded the Wildcats with their second straight defeat in the home arena by an 18-6 deficit. The Whirlies literally reversed the Cats out of the ball game with sweep after sweep around the then ragged Central flanks. Bell, still flashing brilliantly, although the Gate City crew put the skids on him several times, tallied the lone Central marker. Again threatening clouds kept away an anticipated crowd of 10,000.



### Central 27, Reynolds 6

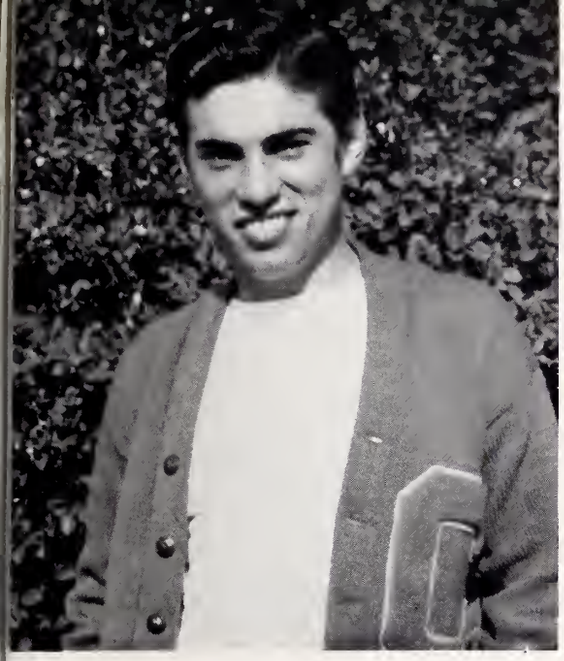
Turning out onto the highway for the first time this year, Central's high stepping backs finally hit their old stride and overpowered Reynolds High of Winston-Salem 27-6.

The Conference contest was featured by sparkling runs by Bell, Helms, Goat Davis, and Tommy Edmonds. Edmonds, who had not yet unleashed his rumored power, really ran amuck, twice returning kicks for sixty yards.

### Central 39, Burlington 0

A much lighter Burlington crew fell an easy prey to the swiftly moving Wildcats 39-0 in a drizzling rain.

Again Edmonds and Bob Davis highlighted the fracas with long trips down the side lines resulting in two TD's apiece for the speedy duo. Helms stayed on the top of the loop scoring list with another tally, with his sophomore understudy, Ham Wade, accounting for the other one.



*Identification Clock-wise*

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|---|---|
| MARSHALL WHISNANT | *Manager* |
| BOBBY JONES | *Cheerleader* |
| FRANK MCLEASE | *Cheerleader* |
| JOHN THROWER | *Cheerleader* |
| DICK FOSTER | *Back* |
| ANDY NEEL | *Back* |
| GEORGE GRIFFIN | *Guard* |
| DONALD COFER | *Back* |
| NED BURGESS | *Guard* |
| MAX RITTENBURY | *Tackle* |
| MARSHALL BROCK | *Guard* |
| GRADY MCAULEY | *Manager* |
| MILES BOYER | *Manager* |

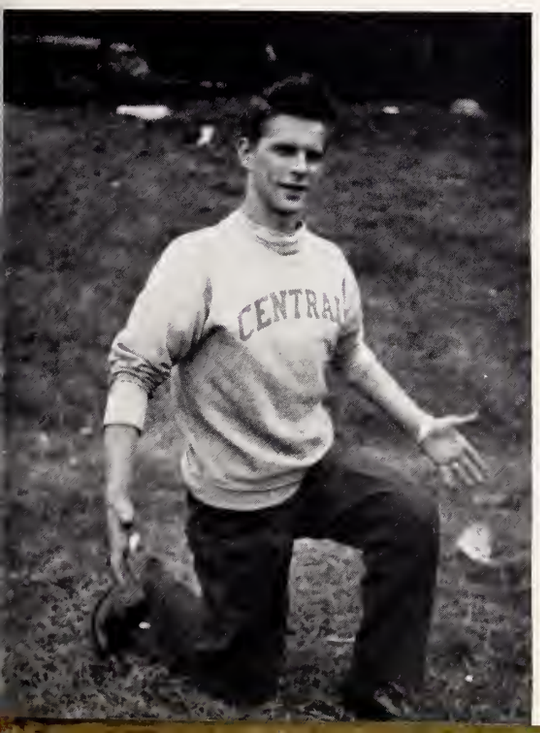
## CENTRAL 40, ASHEVILLE 6

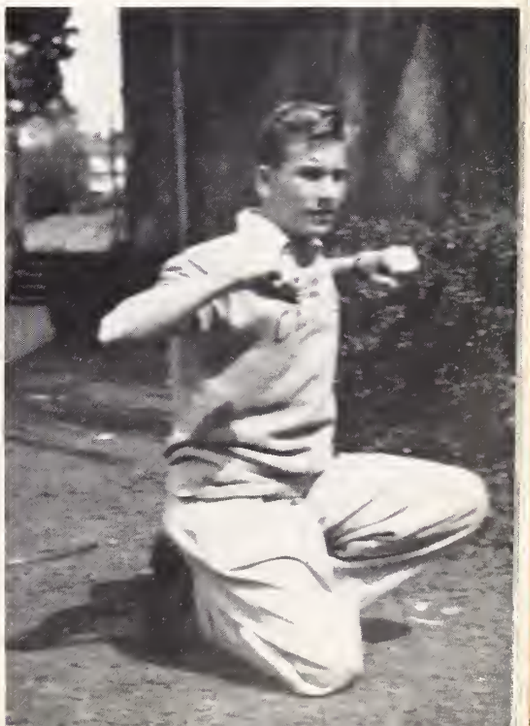
Keeping up their torrid tempo, the big blue rolled unmolested over Asheville's Maroons by a lopsided 40-6 margin.

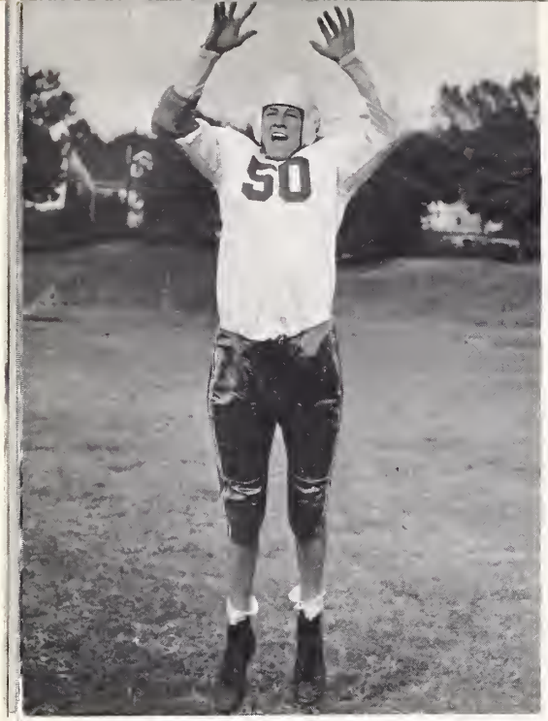
The Maroons, minus the Justices and Britts of yesteryear, were completely at a standstill and subject to the 'Cat power. Buddy Bell then exhibited some of the finest hipper-dipper dashes seen in these parts, as the black-haired senior tallied twelve points coming as the aftermath of two of his beautiful sprints. To cap the wild encounter Frank Millians pulled a Maroon heave from nowhere and streaked down the middle 40 yards for the final score of the evening.

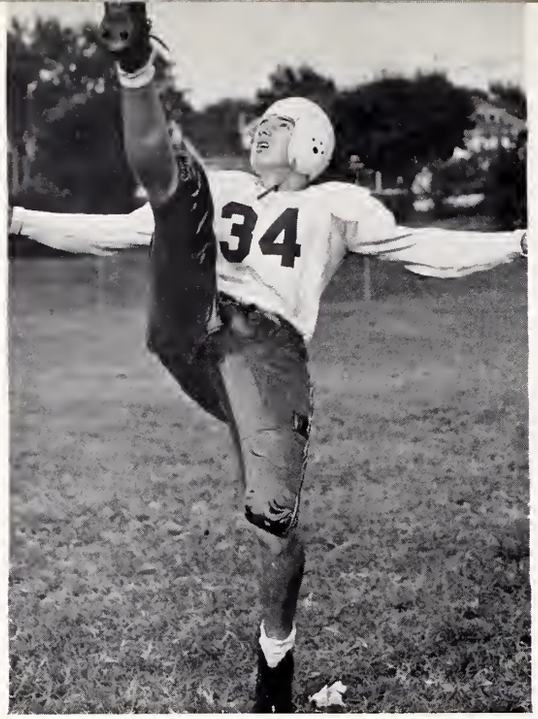
## CENTRAL 0, HIGH POINT 0

In what was probably the greatest school-boy classic in the state this year, a crowd of 12,000 odd fans saw Central and High Point wage a thriller-diller ball game at Memorial stadium ending in a scoreless deadlock.

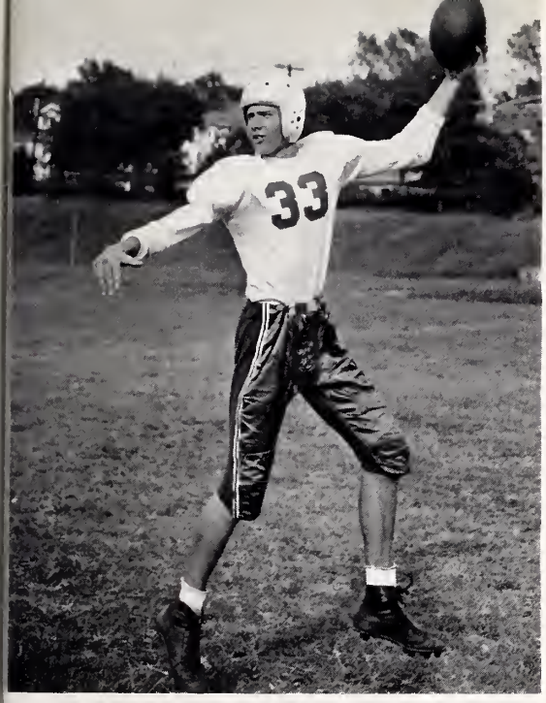






The Bison were odds on favorites and the brilliant Central show rested chiefly in the powerful work of the line. Captain Bob Chapman was playing his final contest for the Blue and White and did it up in fine style. Bob Wylie, Harry Haar, Ned Burgess, who was working in George Griffin's slot when the latter received a broken wrist, and Dick Tiddy bore the brunt of the battle, and all turned in a terrific defensive game. Twice the Pointers reached the 'Cat three, but there the formidable line dug in and turned them back. Central launched a last minute passing attack in the final canto with Bob Foster and Bob Davis doing the chunking, but it was stymied by the Bison defense.



*Identification Clock-wise*

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| JOANNE SHOEMAKER | *Cheerleader* |
| DONALD ELMORE | *Back* |
| BOB FOSTER | *Back* |
| BOB DAVIS | *Back* |
| DONALD COFER | *Back* |
| HAM WADE | *Back* |
| GENE FAULKNER | *Tackle* |
| DR. MCKNIGHT AND FRIENDS | |
| BOB MORROW | *End* |
| TOMMY EDMONDS | *Back* |
| BUDDY BELL | *Back* |
| DONALD AHERN | *End* |
| LELAND HELMS | *Back* |

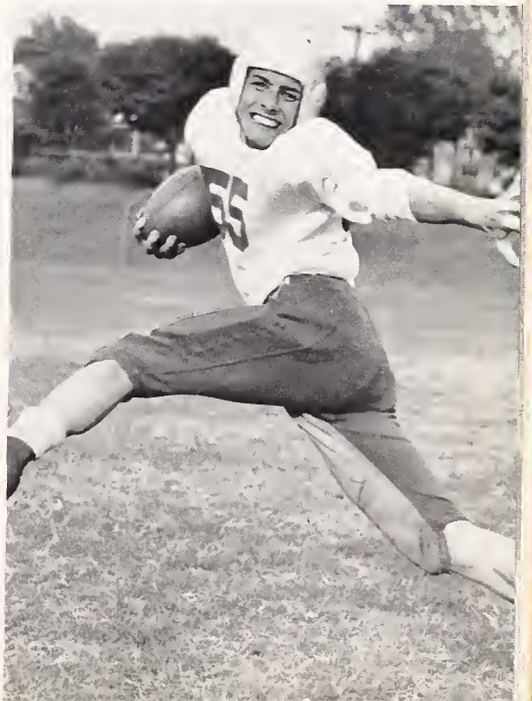
## COLUMBIA 6, CENTRAL 0

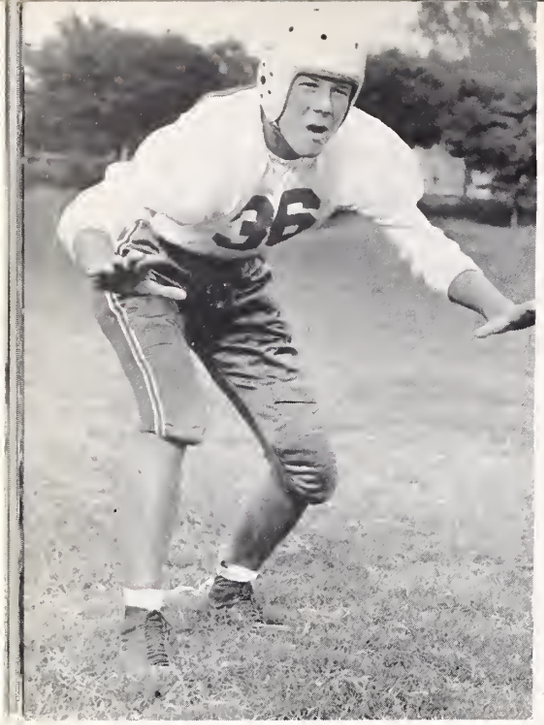
After their terrific showing in the High Point encounter, the Wildcats simply fell to pieces before an inferior Columbia High team and were upset 6-0 in the shadow of the Palmetto Capitol.

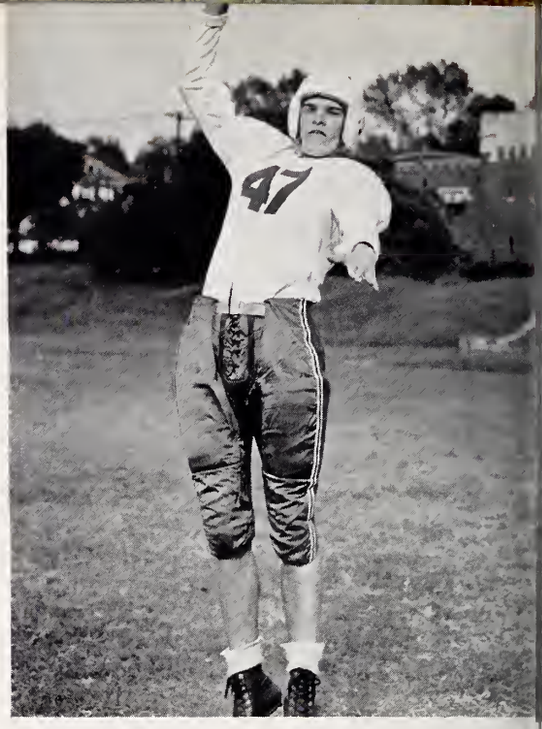
Coach Bill Brannin attributed the surprising loss to overconfidence and injuries. Bob Davis, hurling them with a bandaged wrist, completed five out of ten aerials, but for one of the two aforementioned reasons, the usually potential Wildcat machine was unable to move. Bell once got off to what looked like a jaunt that might be the spark that the failing Centrals needed, but was hauled down from behind and the spark was snuffed with his fall.

## CENTRAL 70, GASTONIA 0

Roaring back from the Columbia mishap, Central's powerful legions turned loose their full strength on their old cross-the-river rivals in Gastonia and vanquished the dazed Green Wave 70-0.







Brannin used every man on the bench in an effort to hold down the rapidly mounting score, but the Centrals were determined to make up for all previous failures. Sophomore Ham Wade had a field night of it, racking up four touchdowns and passing for another. In addition to Bell, Helms, Davis, Edmonds, etc., blond-headed Phil Davis finally shook off his injuries long enough to show his stuff in the onesided rout. Third stringer James Mock reeled off the most scintillating run of the evening, returning a punt seventy yards for a touchdown.

### Central 19, Salisbury 6

A rejuvenated Boyden High outfit from Salisbury came to the Queen City with rumors that it was a soft touch, but the Boydens

*Identification Clockwise*

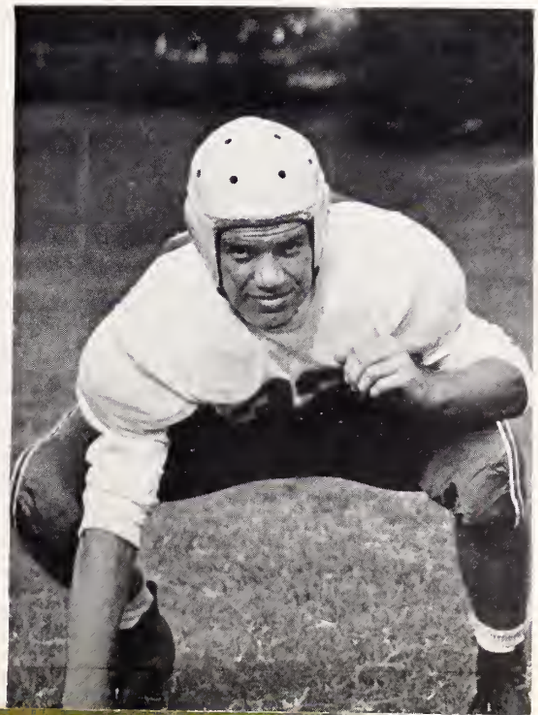
SHOTTIE BAYNE ..... *Cheerleader*
ROBERT WYLIE ..... *Guard*
REX GREEN ..... *Guard*
WADE FOX ..... *Center*
FRANK MILLIANS ..... *End*
BUBBA MASON ..... *Back*
HILLARD KNIGHT ..... *End*
MR. OTTS AND FRIENDS
PETE DEWITT ..... *End*
LELAND HELMS ..... *Back*
PHIL DAVIS ..... *Back*
JULIA MCHENRY ..... *Cheerleader*
NANCY HOLDER ..... *Cheerleader*

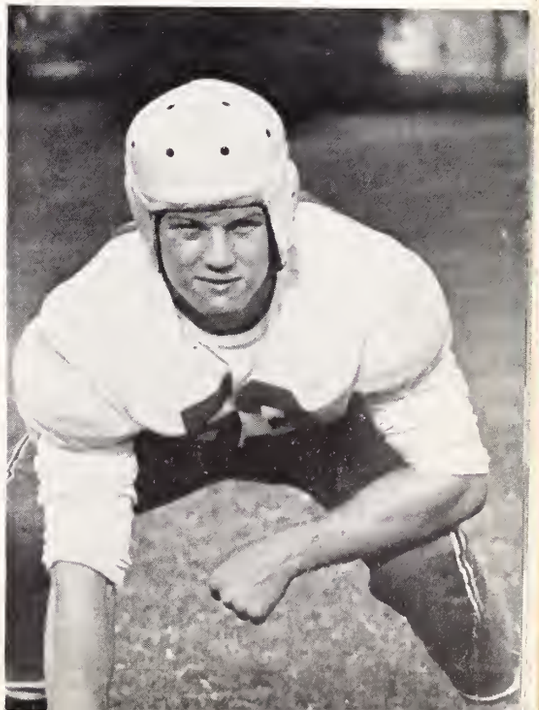
outplayed the Wildcats during the first quarter and almost stopped the locals' attack before the 'Cats finally broke loose in the second and third stanzas to trip the Rowan County lads 19-6.

Held scoreless in the first period, Central came back in the closing minutes of the first half as Bob Morrow let one of Bob Davis's passes trickle through his fingers only to fall into the waiting arms of Buddy Bell who carried it across. Davis passed for another and himself scored the final touchdown of the '45 season for the Wildcats.

## FOOTBALL SCHEDULE—1946

Friday, Sept. 13, Burlington, Here
Friday, Sept. 20, Atlanta Tech., There
Friday, Sept. 27, Greensboro, There
Friday, Oct. 4, Louisville, Ky., There
Saturday, Oct. 12, Miami, Fla., Here
Friday, Oct. 18, Asheville, There
Friday, Oct. 25, High Point, There
Friday, Nov. 1, Gastonia, Here
Friday, Nov. 8, Winston-Salem, Here
Friday, Nov. 15, Knoxville, Here
Saturday, Nov. 30, Peabody, Mass., Here





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Andy Neel, Ham Wade, James Mock, Dick Foster.

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Donald Ahern, Max Rittenbury, Bill Durham, Rex Green, Lane Cloaninger, Ned Burgess, Buck Blankenship.

W. D. BRANNIN — *N. C. Coach*
JOANNE SHOEMAKER — *N. C. Shrine Queen*
BUDDY BELL — *N. C. Back*
BOB DAVIS — *N. C. Back*
CHEERLEADERS FOR N. C.

# SHRINE BOWL GAME

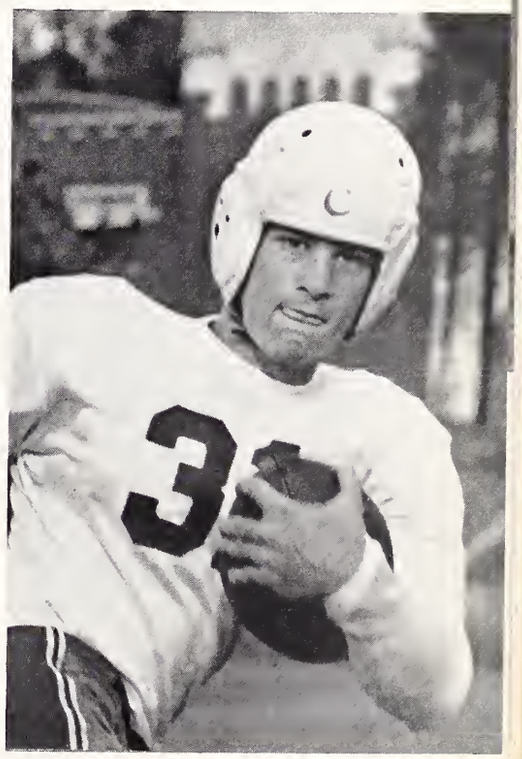
The Blue and Gray of Central was perhaps the most brilliant of 37 schools of the two Carolinas represented in the ninth Annual Shrine Bowl game, Dec. 8, in that it furnished the Head Coach of the Tar Heel squad, the queen of the North State aggregation, and the two leading ball toters on the gridiron.

Upon the completion of his second year as head coach and director of athletics at Central, Coach W. D. "Bill" Brannin was named to head the coaching staff of the North Carolina squad in the annual affair held in Memorial Stadium. In a week's time, the red-faced Irishman moulded twenty-three lads who had never worked together into a smooth running double wing combination which overran the Palmetto All-Stars 8-0 in the Shrine Classic.

Beautiful, blonde Joanne Shoemaker made an exquisite queen as she rode in the parade and also during her reign over half-time ceremonies.

Buddy Bell and Bob "Goat" Davis, who had played brilliantly for Brannin's Wildcats all season, turned in sterling performances in America's only high school bowl game. Black-headed Buddy lived up to the high expectations of him by rambling over for six points in the final canto. Easy going "Goat" was the leading ground-gainer for the afternoon, with a 5⅜ average and also was a bulwark in defensive duties.

In addition to the above Centralites, Jimmy Luther, head manager of the Wildcat footballers, and Don Ahern and Bill Durham, both Central lettermen, served as managers for the Tar Heels. Central's cheerleaders and band also lent their services to the colorful occasion.



Coach Bill Brannin.

*First Row*: Jack Harkey, Bob Foster, Leland Helms, Donald Elmore, Rodney McKnight, Frank Gossett.

*Second Row*: Donald Comer, Bill Fowler, Don Ahern, Malcolm McLean, Hubert Moseley.

# BASKETBALL

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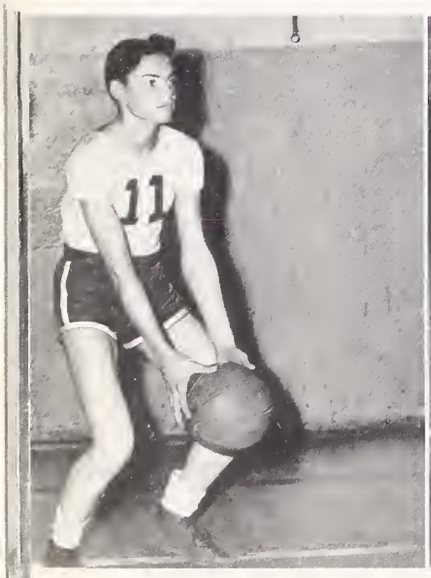
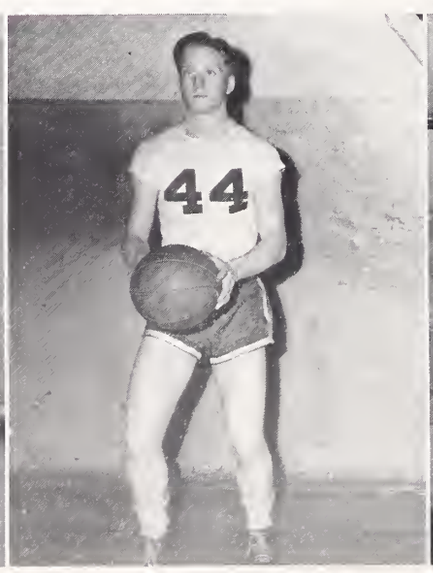
| Central | 18 | Wilson | 25 | Central | 28 | Harding | 25 |
| Central | 25 | Winston-Salem | 32 | Central | 32 | Tech High | 21 |
| Central | 36 | Spartanburg, S. C. | 18 | Central | 22 | Winston-Salem | 26 |
| Central | 40 | Greensboro | 26 | Central | 26 | Greensboro | 28 |
| Central | 35 | Burlington | 24 | Central | 35 | Harding | 36 |
| Central | 27 | High Point | 26 | Central | 27 | Burlington | 21 |
| Central | 25 | Spartanburg | 20 | Central | 21 | High Point | 43 |
| Central | 24 | Gastonia | 29 | Central | 38 | Salisbury | 22 |
| Central | 13 | Belmont Abbey | 39 | Central | 39 | Asheville | 24 |
| Central | 25 | Tech High | 10 | Central | 35 | Harding | 31 |
| Central | 35 | Gastonia | 16 | Central | 39 | Salisbury | 34 |
| Central | 27 | Asheville | 17 | Won 17 | Lost 7 | | |
| Central | 30 | Belmont Abbey | 21 | Total points, Central 702 | | Opponents 494 | |




FRANK GOSSETT, *Forward*




BOB FOSTER, *Guard*

DON AHERN, *Center*

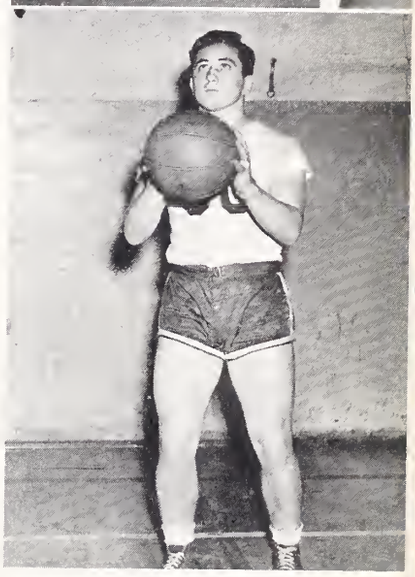
RODNEY MCKNIGHT, *Guard*

Though failing to take any Western Conference laurels, Central High's cagers trounced their cross-town rivals, Harding, two out of three games to clinch the city prep crown for the second consecutive year.

The Wildcat courtmen ran up 16 victories against eight losses in their up and down season. At times they soared to great heights and then fell the victim to lowly underdogs. The powerful High Point Bison, until that time undefeated, were edged out 27-26 by Mac McLean's foul shot in the closing second of a thrilling duel. Winston-Salem was the only team on the slate that tripped the 'Cats in both encounters.

Bill Fowler, lost to the Centrals in mid-season because of a broken wrist, returned at the close of the season to bag the highest number of points for the 'Cats 'cause he and his mate, Leland Helms, both landed berths on the city All-Star five. Helms and Hubert Mosely were the defensive stalwarts for the blue and gray. New-comers Frank Gossett and Mac McLean rounded out the starting five and turned in sterling performances. Gossett's specialty was the hook shot, and it brought the Centrals through many a rough spot during the year. Completing the Central roster for '46 were Don Elmore, Don Comer, Ham Wade, Don Ahern, Bob Foster, and Rodney McKnight.

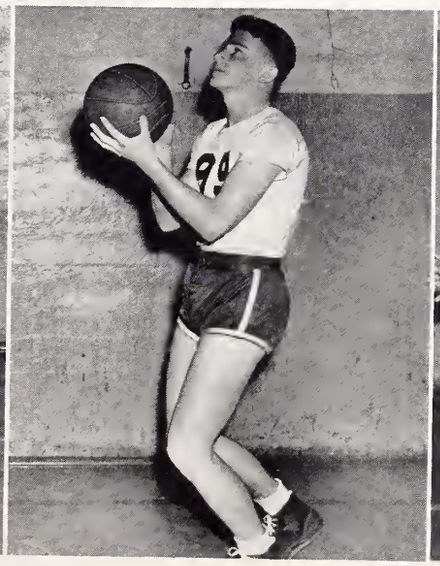
Starting off with two losses, the Wildcats hit the road and rolled up five straight before their machine struck a snag at Belmont Abbey and Gastonia. They came back later, however, to administer both of these clubs sound lickings. After these two spills, the 'Cats hopped back aboard the victory wagon and ran up five more. From there on they rocked back and forth and finished up the season with a 39-34 win over Salisbury.



CAPT. BILL FOWLER, *Center*

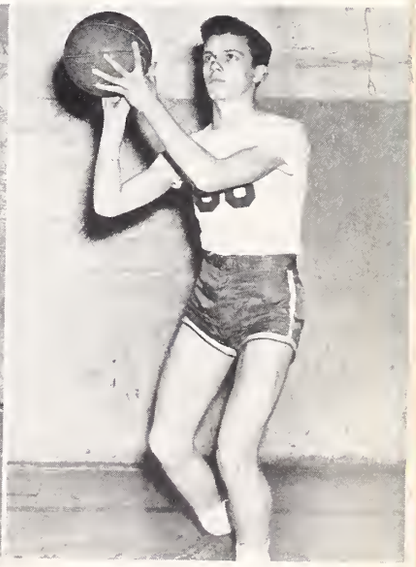
CO-CAPT. LELAND HELMS, *Guard*

DON ELMORE, *Forward*



MALCOLM MCLEAN, *Center*

HUBERT MOSELEY, *Forward*



DONALD COMER, *Forward*

*First Row*: Oren Muse, Bill Fowler, Grady McAuley, Jimmy Hunter, Maxie Willis, Leland Helms, Frank Gossett, Pete Caddell, Wade Fox. *Second Row*: Eda Chapman, Calvin Brice, Frank Redd, Bobby Kirby, Buddy Smith, Jimmy Bennett, Earl Crow, B. F. Deese, Charles Piner, Coach Mingus.

# BASEBALL

With a host of lettermen on hand, Coach Skinny Mingus plunged into a rigid 15 game baseball season. As the SNIPS AND CUTS went to press, the Wildcat diamondeers were making rapid progress.

Bill Fowler, possibly the greatest schoolboy catcher in the state, was again elected to captain the Centrals. Along with outfielder Leland Helms, he was expected to turn in a great year on the diamond.

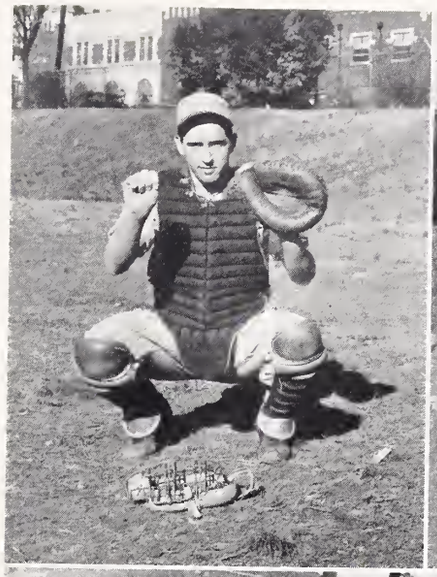
Grady McAuley, Oren Muse, and Jimmy Hunter were the returning twirlers, while chunker B. F. Deese shifted to right field. Earl Crow at first, Jimmy Bennett at second, Frank Redd at shortstop, Wade Fox at third, and Pete Caddell in left field rounded out the starting nine.

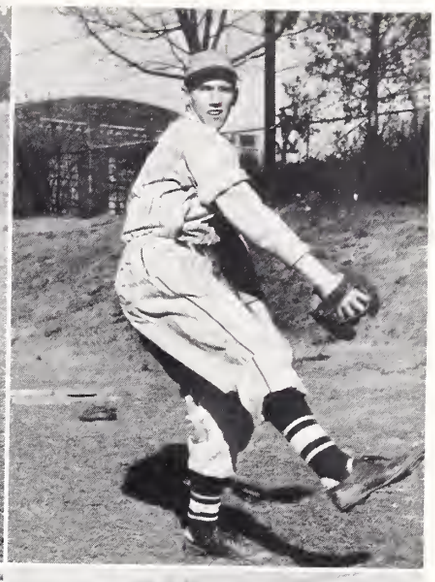
The 1946 schedule:

April 2—Harding
5—Gastonia
9—Tech
12—Harding
13—Gastonia
20—Salisbury
23—Salisbury
25—Harding
April 27—Gastonia
30—Salisbury
May 2—Tech
4—Salisbury
7—Gastonia
9—Harding
11—Tech

Capt. Bill Fowler
*Catcher*

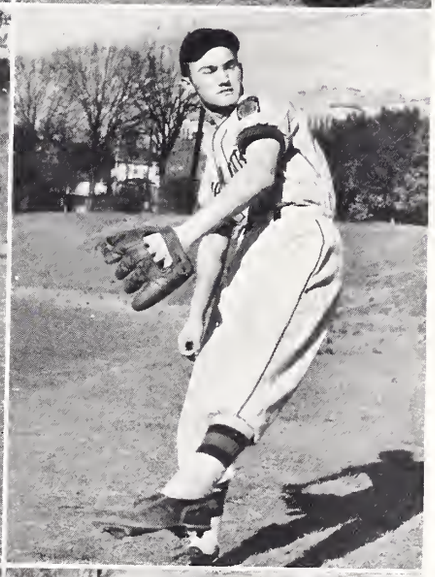
Co-Capt. Jimmy Hunter
*Pitcher*





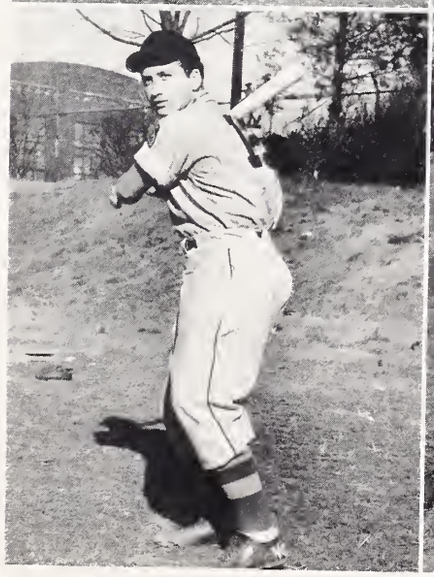
Jimmy Bennett
*Infielder*

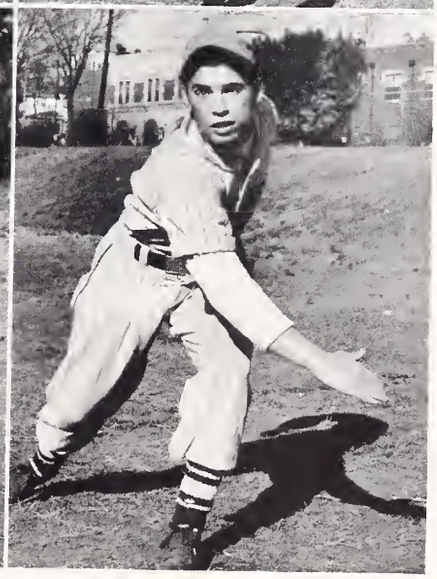
B. F. Deese
*Pitcher*



Leland Helms
*Outfielder*

Grady McAuley
*Pitcher*





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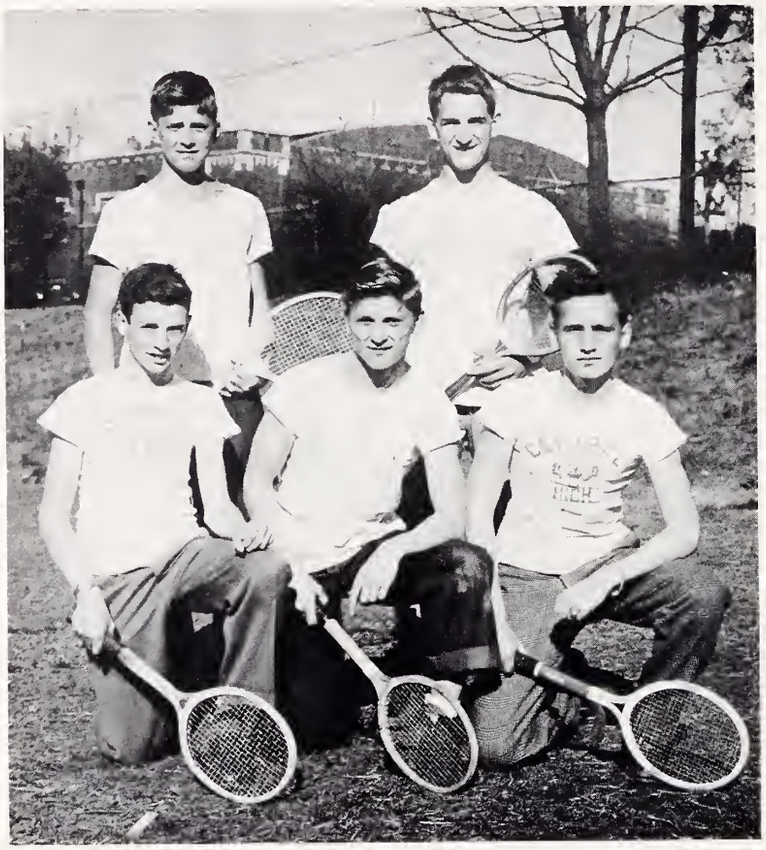

*First Row:* Dewey Keesler, Bill Harding, Richard Brooks.
*Second Row:* Burton Harding, Ham Wade.

B. Smith Morrow Elmore

*Track Coach*
Carroll Hambright

*First Row*
Melvin Shapiro
James Stegall
Marshall Shanklin
Louis Linker
Banner Smith
Donald Elmore

*Second Row*
Jack Harkey
Leon Kendricks
Dick Tiddy
Donald Ahern
Bob Morrow
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# WRESTLING

The art of bone bending was introduced at Central by John Culp, a former grappler at N. C. State this year.

Although two scheduled meets were cancelled, the Wildcat wrestlers absorbed much valuable material on the mat. The interest ran high with a large group participating.

Included on the 1946 Central wrestling squad were James Gleason, Max Rittenbury, Leon Kendricks, Louis Linker, Bill Stagg, Archie McCall, Maurice Wilson, Buck Blankenship, James Mock, Frank Couvillon, Bob Wylie, Hillard Knight, and Gordon Mallard.

*First Row*
Frank Couvillon
Archie McCall
Kennett Smith
Louis Linker
Maurice Wilson
Charlie Jarrell

*Second Row*
Max Rittenbury
Buck Blankenship
Leon Kendricks
Coach Culp
Charles Gleason
Bill Stagg

# GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

*First Row*: Grace Coutras, Barbara Neely, Darleina Carpenter, Betty Wilson, Flora Hannon, Mary Brennan House, Betty Lou Lipe, Elora Carriker, Martha Thomas, Ella Fair Caldwell, Jo Ellen Sarratt, Jackie Coffey, Jean Simpson, Nancy Brice, Bobbie Hegler, Jane Dellinger, Vera Whitsides, Doris McKnight, Dottie Shiver.

*Second Row*: Sarah Adams, Catherine Sweat, Peggy Caldwell, Shirley Carroll, Norvella Whitley, Mary Alice Randall, Carrie Ellen Spake, Billie Green, Jean Waller, Betsy Smith, Ann Lawless, Emma Lawless, Martha Jane Henderson, Sophie Mamalis, Dot Mills, Rosa Lee McClain, Julia Presser, Nancy Cheatham, Ann Kauffman.

*Third Row*: Jo Garrett, Marjorie Gabriel, adviser; Janet Linker, Tula Cavalaris, Betty Bullard, Charlene Scholl, Mary Ann Stilwell, Ryrie Chesick, Margaret Hobbs, Patsy Atkinson, Sarah Whiteside, Peggy Nabors, Lib Dover, Jean Holland, Jean Beaty, Louise Bigham, Corene Smith, Carolyn Jones, Jane McCreary, Cokie Colline, Sara Claire Little, Dot Johnston.

*Fourth Row*: Ann Moss, Lillian Neal, Mildred Bradley, Claire Mae Broome, Dena Karres, Lula Castanis, Eva Miller, Frances Lomax, Charlotte Fulbright, Nancy Clark, Emily Cavalaris, Cecile Thompson, Jane Crawford, Dessie Broadwell, Wilma Horne, Peggy Dixon, Ann Maness, Delores Ruschenburg, Minnie Besser, Martha Dunn, Carolyn Butcher.

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MISS MARJORIE GABRIEL ..... *Adviser*

The Girls' Athletic Association entered one its best years by beginning with soccer. The seniors were all prepared to win the championship when Betty Bullard and her sophomore team came from nowhere and took over. Yep, those muscle women really startled us. "Did I say muscle women?" Well, excuse me. For, as you can see, the G. A. A. is really made up of all kinds of girls—short ones, tall ones, thin ones, and big ones—Junior Marshals, superlatives, class officers, and nobodies. In general, every girl who has a love for sports is in the G. A. A. That is why our slogan "A sport for every girl and a girl in every sport" is so fitting.

Our adviser, Miss Margie Gabriel (Gabby), has really worked hard toward making this a successful year; and for the first time we snagged a night basketball game with Harding. It took a while for the girls to get in condition, but after a few rub downs they were all set and rarin' to go. Now, the seniors are sorry that the year has passed so quickly; however they will to the juniors and sophomores all the happiness that they once had on the soccer field and basketball courts of good ole' Central Hi.

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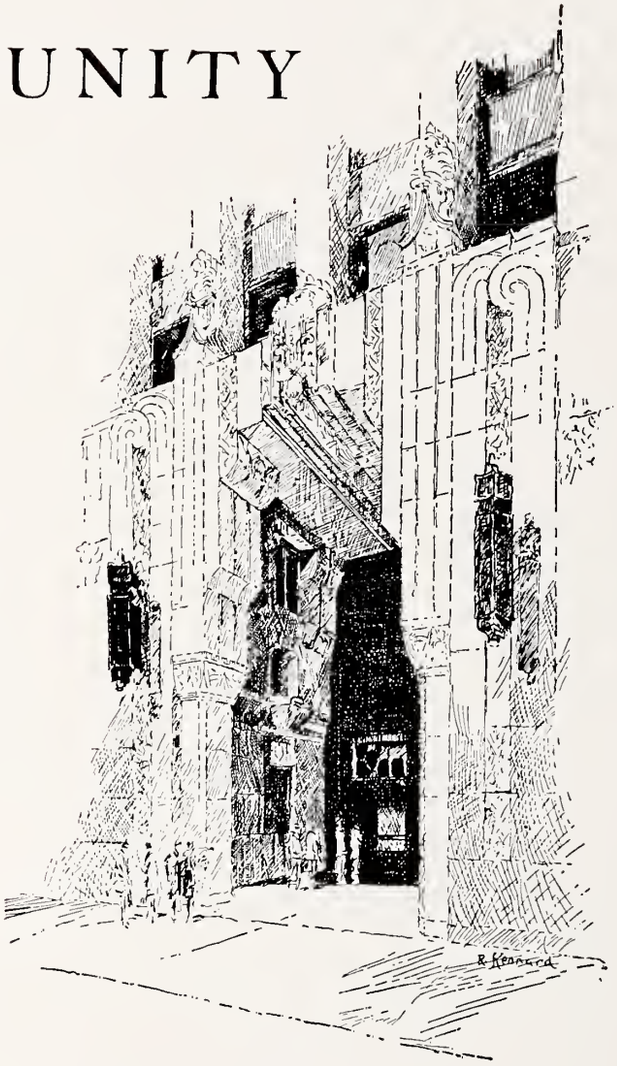

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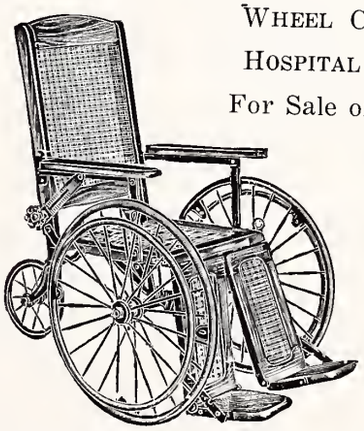

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